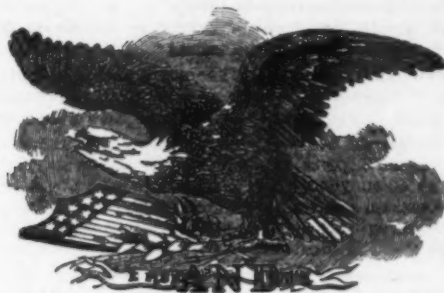


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Post-War Program

ComFairQuonset

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THE Staff of Commander Fleet Air, Quonset Point (Short title ComFairQuonset) was organized early in 1943 primarily to relieve the Commander Air Force, Atlantic Fleet of the routine details of forming and training carrier air groups and carrier aircraft service units.

The naval aviation training load, beginning about the time of commissioning of this staff, had become very great. During the first year of the war it had been demonstrated conclusively that naval aviation would play a major role in winning the Pacific war and, as a result, aircraft carriers were beginning to be completed in rapid succession. Just as rapidly it was imperative to provide air groups with superior training and ready for combat at the completion date of each carrier. Additional air groups in a state of combat readiness were needed to serve as replacement units.

This training program reached rather large proportions and since many air groups destined for both Atlantic and Pacific areas were forming simultaneously on the East Coast, it was necessary to utilize airfields wherever suitable ones might be constructed. Consequently, ComFairQuonset was actively engaged in training from Key West to Lewiston, Maine, and as far inland as Grosse Isle, Michigan.

In order to carry out the assigned mission of the command and to do so in the time allotted, it became necessary in many instances to set up specialized detachments to handle particular phases of the training problem. The rocket training detachment provided rocket firing and assessment facilities and instructors in all training areas under the command. Similarly, an Air Support training group was created to provide facilities and instruction for the air support training of all air groups. The activities of this detachment superseded the previous arrangements for joint Army-Navy exercises.

Ground Controlled Intercept Units were established under ComFairQuonset to provide training in fighter direction and combat tactics. In addition to their primary purpose, these units provided invaluable training for fighter director officers and assisted in developing Ground Controlled Intercept procedures.

A night attack combat training unit was established under ComFairQuonset early

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Adm. Cassidy

AAF Reorganizes Bases in U. S. and Overseas

All Army Air Force bases in this country and overseas will be reorganized into "wing" units to bring inter-dependent AAF groups at each field under one commander.

Primarily designed to unify and utilize more effectively combat and service elements, the sweeping reorganization began 15 Aug. with the revamping of 16 AAF bases in this country, and is expected to be completed by the end of the year.

The reorganization subordinates four functional groups of combat, maintenance and supply, base services, and hospitalization units to a wing capable of sustained field operations. Each service type functional group organizes its squadrons and sections into self-administrative units capable of independent action with parallel units from the combat group within the wing's command.

AAF spokesmen described the change, a result of nearly two years' study, as a move to increase the combat units' mobility, flexibility, and fighting effectiveness. Personnel savings are anticipated when the consolidation is completed.

To provide for the historical continuation of AAF units, wings will carry the same designations as had been assigned to the original combat groups—the wing which will include the 307th Bomb Group, for instance, will be the 307th Wing.

The first 16 AAF bases which underwent reorganization 15 Aug. are:

1st Fighter Group, March Field, Calif.; 4th Fighter Group, Andrews Field, Md.; 14th Fighter Group, Dow Field, Me.; 20th Fighter Group, Shaw Field, S. C.; 27th Fighter Group, Kearney Field, Neb.; 56th Fighter Group, Selfridge Field, Mich.; 82nd Fighter Group, Grenier Field, N. H.; 332nd Fighter Group, Lockbourne, Ohio, Army Air Base; 47th Light Bomber Group, Biggs Field, Tex.; 363rd Reconnaissance Group, Langley Field, Va.; 28th Very Heavy Bomber Group, Rapid City, S. D., Army Air Field; 93rd Very Heavy Bomber Group, Castle Field, Calif.; 307th Very Heavy Bomber Group, MacDill Field, Fla.; 62nd Troop Carrier Group, McChord Field, Wash.; 313th Troop Carrier Group, Bergstrom Field, Tex.; 316th Troop Carrier Group, Greenville, S. C., Army Air Base.

A-Bomb May Force Small Units

Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, commanding general of the Armed Forces Special Weapons Project, speaking at the National Convention of the 11th Armored Division Association at Chicago 15 Aug., said that the atomic bomb has not greatly changed basic military principles.

General Groves predicted some changes, however, as follows:

"The threat of the atomic bomb may well reduce the size of units in combat. Big supply depots, ports and even troop concentrations will not be possible.

"I do not see how large armies can be supported in combat. I anticipate the use of widely dispersed small forces—combat team size and even smaller—their equipment light—their supplies limited—not only air supported by probably air transported and air supplied. The junior commander will have great opportunities to distinguish himself but he must be capable of independent decision. He will not, in most instances, be able

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Joint Pay Study

Ranking officers of the Joint Pay Committee met 21 Aug. and established a staff of working committees to conduct detailed studies of special phases of pay and retirement in the Armed Services.

Five subcommittees were set up, and each was assigned a specific phase of the problem and a list of tasks it is to handle. The subcommittees are to go to work immediately on these projects.

The work of the subcommittees will be under the continuous review of the ranking Service representatives on the Joint Pay Committee—Vice Adm. William M. Fechteler, USN, Brig. Gen. John E. Dahlquist, USA, Rear Adm. Raymond T. McElligott, USCG, Brig. Gen. Merritt B. Curtis, USMC, Comdr. Francis L. Gallen, USCGS, and Dr. W. P. Dearing of the USPHS.

It is likely that the Joint Pay Committee or these ranking officers will meet again until after Labor Day. In the meantime, the subcommittees will conduct their assigned studies.

Navy Selection Boards

The Navy will convene selection boards this Fall to consider Rear Admirals for continuation on the active list and for the selection of Captains to flag rank.

No decision has yet been made on whether boards will meet to consider officers for promotion to Commander, Lieutenant Commander, and Lieutenant. Because of a surplus and the forthcoming reversions of 200 temporary line Captains, there definitely will be no selections to that grade.

With all flag officers in their proper place on the lineal list, the Navy estimates that only three or four Rear Admirals have completed four years' service in grade and 34 years' total commissioned service to be eligible for selection for continuation.

The Navy plans to count each date of rank as the base for computing four years' service in flag rank, and apparently to disregard flag officers who are slated to retire this year. It is estimated that the three or four officers to be considered for continuation will be selected for continuation, because there is no need now to create vacancies in flag grades.

A board to select Captains for promotion to Rear Admiral will meet to consider Captains senior to the Class of 1919, who are assured at least two statutory selections to flag rank before being retired as Captains with 31 years' service.

13th AF Moves Hq.

Maj. Gen. E. L. Eubank, Commanding the Thirteenth Air Force in the Philippine Islands, has announced that Headquarters, Thirteenth Air Force, will be transferred from Ft. William McKinley, near the City of Manila, to the Clark Field Army Air Base, Ft. Stotsenberg, Pampanga Province.

The move is in accordance with previously announced plans for withdrawal of United States Armed Forces to the Pampanga area. PHILRYCOM will assume jurisdiction of Ft. William McKinley upon movement of the Thirteenth Air Force.

New Defense Agencies To Begin about 15 Sept.

According to the schedule being worked out by Secretary Forrestal, he will take office as Secretary of Defense about 15 Sept., or shortly thereafter, at which time President Truman will make the additional appointments to the various boards and agencies provided under the National Security Act of 1947.

President Truman on 21 Aug. announced the expected appointments of those to head the three Departments under the National Security Establishment. Kenneth C. Royall, present Secretary of War, will become Secretary of the Army; John L. Sullivan, now Under Secretary of the Navy, will be Secretary of the Navy, and W. Stuart Symington, Assistant Secretary of War for Air, will take over as the first Secretary of Air. The appointments, all of which were forecast in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of 28 June, will become effective when Secretary Forrestal takes the oath of office as Secretary of Defense.

As for the present agencies which will be continued, even though under changed names, such as the Departments of the Army, the Navy, the Air Force, and the Joint Chiefs of Staff, transitional programs are being drafted so that there will be as little interference as possible when the changeover occurs. Rather, it is the general idea that the new set-up will come about largely through slow changes and growth rather than through revolutionary and sudden alterations.

As reported in last week's ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, the basic study as far as the War Department and the Air Force is concerned is that drawn up by board of officers headed by Maj. Gen. William E. Hall, USA, which is serving as a general guide for further studies and recommendations to the new Secretary and to the War Council. Further excerpts from that board's studies follow:

The Adjutant General

Will the Army postal service continue to serve the Army and the Air Forces; or the Army exclusively?

A: A Postal Service should be operated by the Department of Army to serve the Army and the Air Force, utilizing available transportation and personnel of both departments. Later this service could be combined, if it is found desirable, with the corresponding service of the Navy to create an Armed Forces Postal Service under the operation of one of the departments, or under such joint agency as may be created for the purpose.

Under unification should each department of the armed forces operate disciplinary barracks?

A: No. The Army has had considerable experience in this field and now has established working installations for this purpose. Under unification the Army should operate Disciplinary Barracks under the principle of cross service, and overall policy guidance would be furnished by representative of both departments, and a representative from the Joint Staff. Personnel and pay would be furnished to the Army by the Air Forces in line with policy formulated by the joint agency.

Judge Advocate General

What functions are now being performed by the Judge Advocate General of the War Department for the air forces and will the

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Rio Conference

Philadelphia *Inquirer*—"The current meeting is intended to strengthen inter-American solidarity by providing for the common defense, and no anti-American trouble-makers should be allowed to divert the Conference from that objective."

New Orleans *Times-Picayune*—"The conference may be long drawn out. But at this juncture chances strongly favor agreement on treaty provisions that will require united action to suppress aggression against the Western Hemisphere or any nation within it."

Newark *News*—"At Rio there will without doubt be the familiar problem of defining aggression and also of deciding the mechanism under which hemispheric

defense measures are to be taken."

St. Louis *Star-Times*—"Except in the fervid orations, the Americas are not united."

New York *Times*—"The importance the United States attaches to the conference is shown in the makeup of the delegation that the United States is sending."

Washington *Post*—"Secretary Marshall's statement on the willingness of the United States to support a policy of obligatory action on the part of the American nations against any aggressor in this hemisphere tightens up the sentiment for effective peace measures at Rio de Janeiro."

Youngstown *Vindicator*—"The importance which our government places upon this first attempt of the twenty-one American republics to draft and sign the

hemisphere's first treaty of mutual defense is shown by President Truman's decision to attend the closing days of the conference in September."

Philadelphia *Bulletin*—"The United States is expected to favor keeping the conference strictly to negotiation of the defense treaty."

Richmond *Times-Dispatch*—"Argentine intrigues to dominate the Southern Hemisphere remain as a ghost to haunt the friendship feast of the Western United Nations."

Washington *News*—"A strong Inter-American defense is the proper answer to Russia."

Cleveland *Plain Dealer*—"But what worries us, and what will worry the Rio delegates and put a crimp in their night clubbing, is how the hemisphere is to be protected from the inside."

Unification Report

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Judge Advocate General for the Army under unification perform them for the Air Force?

A: The functions of: a. Military Justice (appellate review of general court-martial cases under Article of War 50½), b. Military Affairs (interpretations of law, etc.), c. Contracts (Procurement), d. Military Reservations (real estate), e. Patents, f. Claims and Litigations, now being performed by the Judge Advocate General of the War Department and as they pertain to Air Force activities will be transferred to the Department of Air Force.

Will there be three separate and independent legal systems for the armed forces?

A: Legal systems as they pertain to the individual departments will continue to be operated separately by the chief legal officers of the three departments. However, uniformity of policy and standardization of procedure will be accomplished by the establishment of a joint agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Will each department have a chief legal officer and necessary officer and other assistants to perform legal work in the departments?

A: Yes. Each department will have its own Chief Legal Officer and the personnel to perform legal functions, except for such common functions as may be assigned by the Secretary of National Defense to one department for operational purposes.

Will it be necessary, under unification, to exercise any control of legal matters on the level above the three departments?

A: Yes. Policy control through an agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff is necessary in order to insure uniformity in the administration of military justice, preparation of contracts, the interpretation of law, and other legal matters.

What economies in personnel and funds could result from reorganization of legal activities?

A: None. Due to the transfer of functions to the Department of Air Forces and the need for a policy agency above the level of the three departments, there will be a slight increase in requirements for personnel and funds.

Chaplains

Should there be a chief of chaplains over all three departments?

A: No, not under the existing organizational concept. Coordinated and unified action would be obtained by the three Chiefs of Chaplains or their representatives functioning through joint committees or boards.

Should there be a joint chaplain board?

A: Yes, for the purpose of coordination policy and procedures, and insuring the common use of facilities and services.

Should there be a chief of chaplains for each department?

A: Yes.

Should there be a basic chaplain school common to all three departments?

A: Yes. Use should be made of one school, such as that now operated by the War Department, under approved joint policies of the three departments for the basic training of clergymen coming into the chaplaincy from civilian life. The cost of such a program would be borne proportionately by all three departments. Each department would furnish a proportionate part of the teaching staff. In addition, this school should be utilized in the Reserve training program.

Should there be a common advanced professional training school for chaplains?

A: No. Each department should include chaplains in its career planning program. Chaplains should participate with other officers of the department in attending schools in the educational system of the department. For advanced specialized professional training, Chaplains should be sent to civilian professional schools at regular intervals as part of the career planning program of their department.

How should chaplain supplies be handled under unification?

A: One department, Army, Navy or Air Force, as determined by Secretary of National Defense, should procure, store and distribute chaplain supplies for all three departments.

Special Services

Should the Army continue to administer special services activities after unification?

A: Yes, the Army could well continue this operation with the Air Force furnishing a proportionate part of the personnel and funds. The common service agency thus provided would be subject to overall policy direction by a joint agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

How should special services activities be handled under unification?

A: a. The Army Motion Picture Service, essentially a service and dividend producing commercial agency, should continue to serve the Army and Air Force as at present. Contracts with film producers and routing of films will be simplified and economies of personnel achieved through this method. Ultimately one agency should conduct motion picture operations for the National Defense Establishment.

b. The Army Exchange Service falls into the same category as a above—ultimately one organization should operate the Post Exchanges to the Ships Stores for all components of the National Defense Establishments.

c. There should be established a joint agency for Welfare and Recreation to formulate overall uniform policies. Each department should administer its own program for welfare and recreation and each will estimate and defend any appropriated funds for this purpose. Maximum utilizations should be made of all existing facilities and services on a cross-service basis.

Public Information

Should there be a public information agency for the national defense establishment under unification?

A: Such an agency is necessary to coordinate matters among the three departments and establish uniform policy. This agency should be a part of the administrative organization of the Office of the Secretary of National Defense.

What is the recommended organizational set-up for public information?

A: Generally speaking, the top agency would be composed of a Director with a minimum-sized staff but with necessary assistants drawn from the three departments. The agency would have policy supervision and coordination over Public Relations and Legislative and Liaison matters for the Secretary of National Defense. The Secretaries of the three departments should, however, each have a Chief of Public Information with full information responsibility for his department.

Is it necessary for each of the three departments to have a public relations organization?

A: A Public Relations organization is necessary to the National Defense Establishment. The characteristics peculiar to each of the three departments remain despite unification, and interpretation of the activities of each to the public must be made by qualified individuals within each of the departments. Therefore, it is believed that a Public Relations organization should continue for each department. However, top level coordination should be fixed in the Public Relations subsection of the Office, Chief of Public Information, under the Secretary of National Defense.

Should the secretary of national defense have a public relations office?

A: It is necessary that the Secretary of

National Defense have a means of communicating public matters to the public. He must be available to the public press and consequently must have the mechanics for handling this situation. Moreover, it is necessary for the Secretary of National Defense to exercise policy control and supervision over the public relations activities of the three departments.

How will legislative and liaison matters be handled in the national defense establishment?

A: In order to coordinate integrate legislative matter of the Armed Forces it will be necessary to organize a small Legislative and Liaison Section in the Office, Chief of Public Information, under the Secretary of National Defense. There would also continue to be corresponding officers in each of the departments. The Chief, Legislative and Liaison Office of the Secretary of National Defense, would be responsible for the preparation of the legislative programs of the Armed Forces, the coordination of legislative matters within the National Defense Establishment, and the regulation of contacts with the Congress. The Legislative and Liaison Officers of the three departments will operate under the policy guidance of the Secretary of National Defense and the direction of the Secretary of the department in which located.

Inspector General

How will Inspector General services be provided for the United States Army and the United States Air Force under the proposed plan of unification?

A: The United States Army and the United States Air Force will each continue to be responsible for Inspector General activities within its command jurisdiction, and each will retain its inspection organization to discharge this responsibility.

Will the secretary of national defense require an Inspector General?

A: No. The Secretary of National Defense will utilize the inspection organizations of the departments. Coordination and standardization between the departments will be accomplished by a joint agency. Investigations for which the inspection organization of one of the departments is not suitable will be conducted by an agency designated by the Secretary of National Defense.

Provost Marshal

How will the Provost Marshal functions be performed?

A: Each department will have an organization to perform the police function for internal control.

A joint agency will establish common policies and procedures applicable to the National Defense Establishment.

Common Provost Marshal functions will be performed under the principle of cross-servicing on a geographical, functional, or other basis.

Finance

What agency will formulate common finance policies and procedures for the national defense establishment?

A: An agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff will be established for this purpose. This joint agency will also act as the finance advisory agency for the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Where is the responsibility placed concerning the furnishing of finance service within each department?

A: The furnishing of finance service within a particular department is the responsibility of that department. However, to avoid duplication, common services will be performed on a cross-service basis. In the event of failure to resolve a question as to who shall perform certain services, the matter will be referred to the joint financial agency for decision. The Chief Finance officer of each department will implement policies within his department and will be responsible for furnishing finance service to his department under the overall policies promulgated by the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

How is it proposed to perform common finance functions?

A: It is proposed to perform these functions on the principle of cross-servicing under the policy control of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Chemical

How will common chemical warfare policies be developed?

A: A joint agency will be formed under

the Joint Chiefs of Staff for this purpose.

Will a chemical warfare function be required in the Air Force?

A: Yes. The implications of future warfare require a high degree of attention to this function on the part of the Air Force Department. The Air chemical function will be performed by personnel organically assigned to the Air Force Department, and/or those detailed from other departments.

What agency should be responsible for basic instruction of officers assigned to chemical warfare activities?

A: The Army (Chemical Corps) should conduct a school of basic instruction for the three departments. The school should be staffed by instructors from each department and the curriculum agreed upon by the departments.

Engineers

What will each department require in the way of a civil engineering function?

A: Each department now performs and will continue to perform a civil engineering function to the degree essential to command control.

Who shall perform military construction?

A: Military construction will be performed by one department for another, on the basis of cross-service under policies established by a joint construction agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Construction should meet the requirements of the department that supplies the funds. In the general case, the needs of the Army on the ground will be the greatest and in such case the Army should be charged with responsibility for the furnishing of construction means.

How will supply of common engineer items be handled?

A: Supply, procurement, and maintenance functions for common items should be assigned by proper authority to the department having major interest in, or the basic use of, the items.

Each department concerned should participate in the preparation of specifications. Catalog identification should be unified.

Total requirements and supply control should be functions of the department furnishing the funds and should be budgeted by that department.

Supplies peculiar to one department should be stored and issued through that department's system. Common supplies should be stored and issued through the purchaser's system until they reach the level of a self-sustaining command, or its line of communication.

Each individual article of engineer equipment should be developed and procured by one department. Since the Army interest in almost all articles of engineer equipment exceeds the interest of the other departments, articles of engineer equipment, other than those intended for airborne use, should be developed and procured by the Army.

Quartermaster

When the Air Force Department is established, how will it meet its initial requirements for officers trained in Quartermaster-type activities?

A: Officer personnel for Quartermaster-type organizations and administrative functions in the Air Force should be provided by Air Force officers currently performing these functions, or being trained for such duties, and by the transfer of officers from the Quartermaster Corps to the Air Force. The Air Materiel Command is currently performing many of these functions.

By whom will Air Force personnel—commissioned and enlisted—be trained in the Quartermaster-type specialties of food service and commissary operation?

A: On-the-job training should be a function of the Air Force. Technical School training should be performed in schools such as: the Food Service Schools, the Subsistence School at Chicago, and the Quartermaster School at Camp Lee. Technical school training should be performed by the Air Force for in-flight feeding and other technical problems of food service pertaining only to the Air Force.

Who will prepare the training manuals and instruction material for use in such training?

A: The Quartermaster General of the Army should prepare the training manuals and (Please turn to Page 1361)

Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

Report of special board on unification study?

Departments lay legislative plans for next session?

Navy may not begin promotions until next year?

Widows' pension included in pay study?

Change in Marine Corps leave regulations?

If not, you did not read the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. You cannot obtain this data from any other source.

Naval Air in USAF

Two members of Congress predicted this week that if unification of the Armed Forces is to be fully effective Naval Aviation must be made a part of the new U. S. Air Forces.

The statements were by Representative LeRoy Johnson (R-Calif) and Representative John E. Lyle (D-Tex) and appeared in the appendix of the final issue of the *Congressional Record* for the first session. Representative Lyle included in his remarks a detailed statement from Comdr. Allen M. Shinn, USN, (USNA '32), whom he described as a "very outstanding naval aviator."

Merger of Air Forces

Representative Johnson, a veteran of Army aviation of World War I and a member of the House Committee on Armed Services, said:

"I think it is quite evident to men who are trained in air warfare, that this bill is merely a step in the ultimate merger of the Air Forces, under one head. The thinking of some of the leading airmen in the Navy, as well as the thinking of the leading airmen in the Army, is that to bring the maximum protection, the Air Forces must be integrated into one cohesive unit. Modern war is all-out war operated on the main line with everything we have. It is not operated on the personal aide and Flag Secretary to the conductors."

Representative Lyle declared:

"It could be only in what I consider the vital interest of my country that I urge the complete unification of all our air power. I have the privilege of representing a district wherein lies one of the world's largest naval air training stations. All of us are proud of the great contribution it made to victory, turning out 14,000 aviators per year at the close of the war. Too, we are proud of the unequalled and unparalleled part that naval aviation played in our ultimate victory. Assuredly it is not to their discredit that circumstances dictate a reorganization of our armed forces which realistically speaking, closes the chapter upon their glorious participation in the defense of our country."

"The naval air arm, as such, has no future when the present bill becomes law and all of the hopes and efforts of its well-wishers and friends cannot, with frankness, hold out promise for it."

Comdr. Shinn's Protest

Mr. Lyle quoted Commander Shinn as follows:

"To date, the Navy's formula for assuring continuation in proper strength of the naval aviation phases of national air power has been to insist upon Navy control of these phases of air power. This formula is wrong: It will not achieve the result."

"Whether or not the armed service merger now pending congressional action is written into law, the United States people as a whole and the Congress in particular have accepted by now the proposition that there are three broad divisions of military effort delineated by medium of movement—land, sea, and air. It is not probable that the Congress will continue to vote and the people continue to support appropriations for air power in the Navy, together with appropriations for the United States Air Force. Nonpartisan, patriotic Congressmen, motivated by a desire to assure the people full value received for moneys appropriated, but perhaps not technically acquainted with the various categories of air power, logically will be inclined to favor aeronautical appropriations for the Air Force but not for the Navy. The people as a whole are so inclined, and this inclination will become stronger as the need for financial economy in the Government becomes more pressing. For a few more years, for as long as the magnificent achievements of carrier aviation in the Pacific war can be recalled successfully to public mind, the Navy may be able to obtain substantial appropriations for naval aviation, but these will be obtained only by ever-increasing effort and against ever-increasing opposition. The end result will be a gradual but sure withering away of the naval aeronautical organization, probably before naval aviation has outlived its usefulness to the Nation, with possibly dangerous decrease of national security."

"Another serious consideration in the future of naval aviation under the system now proposed by the Navy Department is the probable attitude of the Navy high command toward appropriations for naval aeronautics. The inclination of Congress and the country will be to favor the Air Forces in matters of aeronautical expenditures; this can and probably will have the result that within the Navy Department itself necessary aeronautical expenditures will be controlled and side-tracked in favor of expenditures for purely naval matters, such as surface and subsurface ship development and operations, the reasoning being that appropriations for such purposes will have a better chance of being granted by the Congress. Moreover, the objective of such appropriations would more certainly remain under naval control, where-

as naval aeronautical establishments might eventually be lost to the Air Force.

"Tug of War"

"As long as naval aviation and the surface navy are contained within the same governmental agency the tug of war will continue as to whether to concentrate that agency's effort and spend such money as Congress grants to that agency upon aircraft or upon surface and sub-surface vessels. As time goes on and the Air Force becomes more and more firmly imbedded in the national consciousness as the national instrument for development and operation of national air power, the tug of war within the Navy will be resolved in favor of surface and subsurface development. Naval aviation may well be strangled by the Navy, before it is strangled by the Congress."

"A United States Air Force whose heritage is solely that of the present United States Army Air Forces hardly can be expected to have full appreciation of the background, techniques, and importance of naval aviation. With the best of motives, United States Air Force personnel drawn from only a part of the Nation's present military aviation must be expected to concentrate their effort on that part of aviation which they know through past experience. If the Navy Department succeeds in its present policy of insistence that naval aviation not become a part of the National Air Force, we must be prepared to expect lopsided, partisan development of the United States Air Force and a continuation of the unhealthy rivalry which has existed between the Army Air Forces and the Naval Aeronautical Organization. How different this could be if the United States Air Force were to be formed from all existing branches of United States military aviation; if it were to be an all-inclusive, unified, national agency for the exercise of all phases of the Nation's air power; if it were not just the ex-Army Air Forces but were, in truth, the United States Air Force."

Schools for Dependents

The War Department will ask the next session of Congress for legislation authorizing support of schools for children of personnel and adequate appropriations to implement such a program in the zone of the interior, United States possessions, and overseas.

The Military Appropriations Act for the fiscal year 1948 provides for "primary and secondary schooling for dependents of military and civilian personnel residing on military reservations in amounts not exceeding \$100 per child where the Secretary of War finds that the schools, if any, available in the locality are unable to provide adequately for the education of such dependents."

General policies and procedures are published in War Department Circular 206. The circular states that in the zone of the interior local public school facilities will be utilized to the fullest possible extent. Policies concerning overseas areas other than occupied zones and Army-operated schools are given as follows:

"3. Certain overseas areas, except occupied zones.—The following general policies and procedures will apply to the following overseas areas acquired by treaty for permanent military use and/or overseas leased bases:

Newfoundland	British Guiana
Bermuda	Santa Lucia
Jamaica	Antigua
Philippine Islands	Labrador
Guam	Greenland
Trinidad	

"a. If an acceptable English-speaking school or an American-sponsored school is available, its facilities will be utilized, where possible, on a per pupil contract basis.

"b. Where no acceptable English-speaking or American-sponsored school is available, or where no satisfactory contract can be effected, an Army-operated dependent school may be established within the limits of appropriated funds available, supplemented, where necessary, by local nonappropriated funds.

"4. Army-operated schools.—The following general policies and procedures will apply to all Army-operated dependent schools, whether support is with non-appropriated funds or appropriated funds or both. Attention is directed to the fact that the War Department has a contract for services of the International Correspondence Schools, for military personnel and their dependents, for one-half the usual commercial rates.

"a. Standards will be established for Army-operated secondary schools on an acceptable accreditation system which will satisfy the maximum number of college entrance requirements.

"b. Instructional personnel paid with appropriated funds will be recruited and processed by the Office of the Secretary of War, Civilian Personnel Division. Job specifications and requirements will be submitted no later than 1 January for the following fiscal year's procurement.

"c. Instructional personnel paid entirely with nonappropriated funds will be insured for compensation for injury.

"d. The War Department will assist in the

recruiting and processing of personnel paid with nonappropriated funds upon request of the commander concerned.

"e. Appropriated funds will not be used for providing educational opportunities to other than school-age children. School age is defined as grades 1-12 inclusive.

"f. Appropriated funds will not normally be used for providing education for children whose education is otherwise fully provided for with state (or territory) or federal funds other than War Department funds.

"g. Commanders under this authorization, may contract for school services, facilities, supplies, and equipment up to, but not exceeding, the total amount of appropriated funds made available to them by the War Department. Other sources of revenue will be used for services, facilities, supplies, and equipment in excess of the amount of appropriated funds available."

Competitive Tour Policies

Qualifications and policies governing assignments and training of candidates for competitive tours of duty under the Regular Army Officer Procurement Program have been announced by the War Department in Circular 210.

Policies governing assignment and training of candidates are as follows:

Policies governing assignments and training of candidates.—a. General.—Company grade officers will be assigned generally to company level positions in units of the arm or service in which they are seeking appointment. Field grade officers will be assigned to duties commensurate with their grade and experience. The War Department may direct that candidates be sent to appropriate service schools prior to undergoing the competitive tour. No part of the competitive tour will be spent in status of student only.

b. Procedure.—The following specific procedures are prescribed for competitive tours in the zone of interior and will be carried out by overseas commanders to the extent that local situations and facilities will permit. Arms and services referred to are those in which candidates are seeking appointment.

(1) Ground Arms.—Candidates will be assigned to major troop units in the order of priority: (1) Divisions; (2) separate regiments, battalions, or squadrons; (3) replacement training centers. They will receive not less than 6 months training with the appropriate arm at rifle company, gun or howitzer battery, or equivalent level in the arm in which appointment is sought. They will not be assigned to duties such as Army exchange officer, motor officer, aide-de-camp, etc.; except that officers who have had at least 6 months service at company level in the arm in which appointment is sought within 1 year immediately prior to their entering the competitive tour and have been rated for such service, may be assigned staff duties commensurate with their grade and experience. During the competitive tour they will serve under at least three different commanders, a minimum of 3 months each.

(2) Air Corps.—In accordance with current AAF policy on assignment of all AAF officers on initial entry into service, candidates will serve in assignments not above group or base level and will normally be assigned to the lowest operating echelon of the Army Air Forces (the squadron) and rotated through duty in the various administrative and technical operations of the squadron, except in those instances where the candidate's temporary grade or specialty would make such assignment inadvisable. Rated officers will be assigned to flying units. Permanent changes of station assignment will be avoided whenever possible, and in any case the provisions of paragraph 1d, AAF Regulations 50-50 will apply. It will be the responsibility of an AAF commander not below the echelon of group commander to supervise the rating and evaluation of selected candidates. This responsibility will not be delegated.

(3) Finance Department.—Candidates who have not completed a course at the Army Finance School within 1 year of application will attend a 3 or 5 months' course at the school prior to entering the competitive tour. Candidates will be assigned to post, camp, or station disbursing offices or class II installations under the Chief of Finance and remain on the same assignment continuously for at least 6 months of the tour. If eligible for foreign service they may be shipped for similar assignments.

(4) Chemical Corps.—The entire competitive tour will be conducted under the direct control of the Chief of the Chemical Corps. Candidates will first attend either the basic or associated basic course at the Chemical Corps School, Army Chemical Center, Maryland.

(5) Corps of Military Police.—Candidates will be assigned to Corps of Military Police detachments, separate companies, or battalions (company level). During the competitive tour they will be required to serve a minimum of 3 months under each of at least two commanders.

(6) Transportation Corps.—The entire competitive tour will be conducted in the zone of interior under the direct control of the Chief of Transportation. The Chief of Transportation will assign candidates to some of in-

terior ports of embarkation where during the competitive tour they will serve under five separate commanding officers, each of whom will render an efficiency report and an officer evaluation report on each candidate immediately after completion of his duty assignment period. Duty assignments involved on the tour will be—

(a) Water Division—3 months;
(b) Port Transportation Division — 3 months;

(c) Troop Movements Division—2 months;

(d) Overseas Supply Division—1 month; and

(e) Personnel Center—3 months as a company officer concerned directly with the handling of intransit personnel.

(7) Signal Corps.—Candidates who do not have constructive credit for the Associate Basic Signal Corps School (as determined by the Chief Signal Officer's Constructive Credit Board) will be required to attend the course at Fort Monmouth, N. J., prior to beginning the competitive tour. During the competitive tour each candidate should serve for at least 5 months under each of two especially selected commanding officers. Every effort will be made to assign candidates to operating duties involving the command of Signal Corps enlisted personnel.

(8) Quartermaster Corps.—Those candidates whom The Quartermaster General feels should complete the associate basic course or refresher training prior to beginning the competitive tour will receive such training. During the competitive tour each candidate will serve under three separate commanding officers. Duty assignments involved in the tour will be 4 months in each of—

(a) General Reserve and/or combat division types of QM units;

(b) Post quartermaster office; and

(c) A QM class II installation.

(9) Corps of Engineers.—Candidates will be assigned to troop organization, battalion or larger, of the following types:

(a) Combat,

(b) Armored,

(c) Construction,

(d) Aviation,

(e) Amphibious, or

(f) General Service,

and will remain assigned to the same organization for the entire competitive tour. They will not be assigned to specialized units such as topographic or bridge units. Assignments within the organization will be to line platoons and companies in order to develop leadership ability. Candidates will serve under a minimum of two immediate commanders and will have a maximum of three changes in primary duty during the tour. Those assigned at other than company level, as authorized by a above, will be assigned to positions which definitely require engineer qualifications.

(10) Ordnance Department.—The entire competitive tour will be conducted under the direct control of the Chief of Ordnance. Selected candidates will complete the 3-month regular basic course at the Ordnance School prior to entering the competitive tour. Duty assignments during the competitive tour will be

(a) As instructors at the Ordnance School;

(b) Duty with troops at Aberdeen; and

(c) Assignment to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, for test work or similar assignment.

Military Justice Order

Secretary of War Royall, in a letter 21 Aug. to the commanding generals of all theaters and Armies and to Air Force commanders ordered greater attention to military justice administration.

Following are excerpts from the letter: "Legislation to amend present Articles of War has been requested from the Congress and certain amendments to the Manual for Courts-Martial, 1928, are contemplated. In the meantime it is my desire that all senior officers, particularly those who have general courts-martial jurisdiction, give their personal attention to the improvement of the administration of Military Justice.

"In an appreciable number of cases the investigation of charges required by Article of War 70 have been inadequately conducted. For example: inexperienced officers have at times served as investigators; full opportunity to develop the defense has not been extended to the accused persons in all cases; the use of forms for reporting investigations has occasionally resulted in reporting action by investigating officers which actually has not been performed.

"Defense Counsel detailed for general Courts-Martial have not adequately performed their duties in all cases.

"Some cases are still being received in which extreme and excessive sentences are being adjudged by courts-martial and approved by reviewing authorities.

"It is desired that reviewing authorities and other responsible commanders take active measures to insure that personnel of their command are adequately instructed in the duties connected with courts-martial. Schools will be established to the maximum possible extent."

Overseas Officer Requirements

The War Department has set officer requirements for overseas assignment for the balance of the year and opening months of next year.

Approximately 210 ground arms officers (Infantry, Coast Artillery Corps, Cavalry, Field Artillery) will be required from Zone of Interior commands for overseas assignments during the months of October and November 1947, and approximately 200 for the month of December 1947. This requirement will gradually increase each month thereafter until stabilization is reached at approximately 400 officers each month.

The information furnished commanders to assist in their planning includes criteria for selection and projected officer requirements for overseas commands. It is emphasized by the War Department that the information is not to be considered as alert instructions, nor will officers submit applications for deferment as a result of the announcement.

Except officers who are ineligible for overseas assignment under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular Number 108, 1947, it is contemplated that ground arms officers who have the following months, or less, overseas service subsequent to 7 Dec. 1941, will be used to meet requirements up to and including the month of January 1948:

	Cols. & Lt. Cols.	Majs.	Co. Grade
Inf.	24	20	26
Cav.	24	27	26
FA.	24	24	28
CAC.	24	27	30

No information is available at this time as to the total requirements for officers

of services. Except officers who are ineligible for overseas assignment under the provisions of Section I, War Department Circular Number 108, 1947, it is contemplated that officers who have the following months, or less, overseas service subsequent to 7 Dec. 1941, will be used to meet requirements up to and including the month of January 1948:

	Cols.	Lt. Cols.	Majs.	Co. Grade
Chaplains	(Guaranteed not over 1 year in ZI, regardless of overseas service)			
Chem. C.	18	18	18	18
C. Engrs.	21	15	15	15
Fin. Dept.	(Volunteers for o/s assignment will meet requirements)			
JAGD.	23	0	0	0
Med. Dept.	(No criteria furnished)			
MC & ANC.	0	0	0	0
PC & MAC.	(12 months or less—no grade spread furnished)			
S.	(No criteria furnished)			
CofMP.	(No criteria furnished for Cols. or Lt. Cols.)			
Ord. Dept.	(No criteria furnished for Cols.)	15	15	15
QMC.	(No criteria furnished for Cols.)	24	24	24
SigC.	23	23	23	23
AGD.	(No criteria furnished for Cols.)	0	0	0
TC.	12-18	12-18	12-18	24
	(Depending on specialties requisitioned)			

UNITED STATES ARMY

AGF Schools

The Seacoast Branch of the Artillery School will conduct courses for Officers in Associate Basic, Seacoast Electronics, and Seacoast Artillery Gunnery; and courses for Enlisted Men in Seacoast Artillery Technician, Casemate Electrician, and Submarine Mining Operations.

At the Armored School, Fort Knox, Kentucky, courses for Officers will consist of Basic, Associate Basic, Advanced, Associate Advanced, Communication, Motor & Track Vehicles; and courses for Enlisted Men will comprise NCO, Communications Chief, Radio Repairman, Armorer & Artillery Mechanic, and Motor & Track Vehicles.

The Ground General School, Fort Riley, Kansas, will conduct courses for Officers in Basic, Officers Intelligence, Advanced Horsemanship & Animal Management and Installation Intelligence; and courses for Enlisted Men in Horseshoer-Packer, Saddler-Packer, Photo Interpreter, Order of Battle & Interrogator.

The courses are of three to six months' duration. Quotas for the various schools have been established by the Army Ground Forces and are being filled by the National Guard Bureau from nominations submitted by the State Adjutants General.

Col. Hastings Joins Firm

Lt. Col. Emory P. Hastings, QMC, USA, has been appointed territory representative of Pillsbury Mills Pre-Mix Division for northern Calif., with headquarters at San Francisco, it was announced by Lewis B. Wall, Division president.

Colonel Hastings, soon to be retired from the Army after 24 years of service, will have full responsibility for the sale and distribution of the Pillsbury Pre-Mix Division's products in northern Calif.

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Return to Retired Status

The War Department has ordered that all retired Regular Army officers on active duty, with certain exceptions, be returned to retired status 31 July 1948.

Following is the text of the War Department message:

"1. This message applies to all Regular Army retired officers on active duty except general officers and those who are occupying positions which are specifically provided for by law. Retired general officers on active duty are being returned to retired status by separate action.

"2. Unless sooner relieved and returned to retired status under current policy all retired officers except those in the category specified in paragraph 3 below will be returned to retired status on 31 July 1948.

"3. Retired officers on active duty with the following civilian agencies will be returned to their retired status upon being released from their present assignments with the agencies concerned; such as Foreign Liquidation Board, War Assets Administration, State Department and Selective Service, etc.

"4. The officers concerned will be advised that the date of reversion to retired status will not be delayed because an individual is hospitalized. It is the concurrent responsibility of the retired officer, of his commander, and where appropriate, of the hospital commander to determine whether the officer's physical condition in retired grade is such that an Army Retriving Board is necessary in order to determine whether the officer is eligible for increased benefits under provisions of Public Law 101, 78th Congress, upon his reversion. It is in the interest of the officer to have any such determination as may be necessary made prior to 31 July 1948.

"5. It is desired that each such officer comply with Section III, WD Circular 50, 1946 as amended by Section III, WD Circular 346, 1946."

Use of Military Title

A joint Army and Navy agreement of policy for the use of military titles in connection with commercial enterprises is published in Section VI, War Department Circular 207, as follows:

"1. Joint Army-Navy Agreement, 23 June 1947, of policy for use of military titles in connection with commercial enterprises provides as follows:

"a. Regular personnel, retired and reserve component personnel on extended active duty, officer and enlisted, shall be prohibited from using their military titles in connection with any commercial enterprise. Authorship of any material for publication shall be specifically exempted from this provision, subject to existing regulation.

"b. Retired personnel, on inactive duty, both regular and those of the reserve components, officer and enlisted, shall be permitted to use their military titles in connection with commercial enterprises.

"c. Reserve component personnel on inactive duty, officer and enlisted, shall be permitted to use their military titles in connection with commercial enterprises.

"2. Pending revision of AR 140-5, AR 150-5, and AR 600-10, so much of those regulations and any other existing directives as are in conflict with the new policies indicated in paragraph 1 are rescinded."

Colonel Day to FA Assn.

Col. Breckinridge A. Day, FA, has received orders to duty as editor of the *Field Artillery Journal* and Secretary-Treasurer of the United States Field Artillery Association. He replaces Col. DeVere Armstrong who has held these posts for the past two years.

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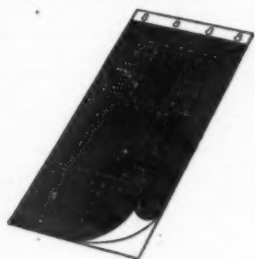
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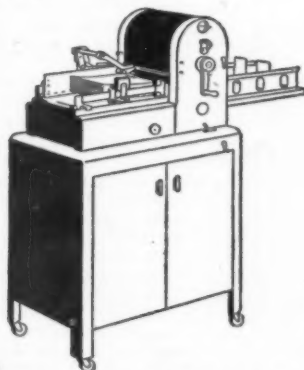
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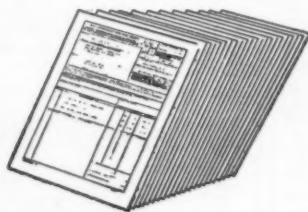
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Navy Officers Assigned to SDO

The Navy this week implemented provisions of the new promotion act authorizing the assignment of officers to Special Duty Only by issuing appointments as SDO officers.

Officers of the Regular Navy, including transferees, who were selected for assignment to duty in special fields were sent letters notifying them of their assignments. The letters are being forwarded via Commanding Officers.

The promotion act authorizes assignment of Navy officers to "Special Duty Only, including but not restricted to the performance of specialized duties in the fields of communications, law, naval intelligence, photography, public information, psychology, and hydrography." SDO officers are to be extra numbers in grade, within the Navy's authorized strength.

In the Navy Department, the Judge Advocate General, Rear Adm. O. S. Colclough, USN, delivered SDO assignments to almost 50 officers of his staff on 18 Aug.

Assignments to Aeronautical Engineering Duty Only, to be known as AEDO, will be made at a later date, and probably will be announced in the Navy Department Semi-Monthly Bulletin.

Applications for commissions as Limited Duty Only (LDO) officers will be requested next Spring, from men having permanent enlisted status.

Retain USNR Contract Aviators

Naval Reserve officers serving under aviation contracts expiring between 1 Jan. 1948 and 30 June 1948 are invited to submit requests for duty with Air Ferry Squadrons One and Two.

Approximately 100 officers will be selected for this duty and will be retained on active duty until 30 June 1948. All other officers in this category whose contracts expire between those dates and who are not selected will be released to inactive duty in December.

Applications should reach the Bureau of Naval Personnel prior to 15 Nov.

Awards to Naval Personnel

All delegated authority to make awards to Naval personnel will be withdrawn on 1 Jan. 1948, after which all recommendations for awards will be submitted to the Secretary of the Navy via the appropriate chain of command.

This ruling applies to the following awards: Navy Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, Navy and Marine Corps Medal, Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal, Purple Heart, and Letter of Commendation with Ribbon.

Capt. Hunter Represents USNA

Capt. George P. Hunter, USN, head of the Department of English, History and Government, is representing the U. S. Naval Academy at the Brookings Institution Seminar on Problems of Foreign Policy, at Dartmouth College, 18-30 Aug.

U. S. NAVY & MARINE CORPS

Selected for USN

Naval Reserve and Temporary USN officers recommended for transfer to the Regular Navy include the following:

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F. W. C. Karney	John H. Sullivan
Robert S. Neskow	

Chief Electrician	
Wesley O. Denison	George W. Rath
Charles J. Kent	Alfred R. J. Sears, Jr.
L. R. Lawrence	

Chief Pay Clerk	
Orville A. Johnson	

Commissioned Rank, Line and Line Aviation	
Robert W. Ambrose	Norman E. Larsen
Lowell W. Bengtson	David B. Lember
Harold C. Bouffie	Edwin W. Matthews
Robert G. Bowerman	Charles J. McGrath
Richard G. Brand	Gerald (N) McMorro
Paul (N) Bugge	Peter (N) Mongilard, Jr.

Albert A. De Gennaro	William T. Morrison
Robert W. Fisher	Edward F. Murphy
James J. P. Flavin	Joseph M. Murphy
Harvey R. Gardner	Kelth W. Myers
Edward W. Gendron	Raymond G. Neal
Clifford L. Giebler, Jr.	James T. Peck, Jr.
Julian F. Gray	Merrill C. Pinkenak
Harold W. Hampton	Charles H. Price
James P. Harrington	William T. Ross, Jr.
George T. Harris, Jr.	Thomas G. Salisbury, Jr.
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Robert H. Johnson	Ned W. Schoonover
John R. Kincaid	Robert F. Schoults
William J. Kingston, Jr.	Frank V. Scott, Jr.
Donald E. Kinney	William C. Snellman
Walter J. Kuehn	Andrew W. Whitaker

Aeronautical Engineering	
Weldon L. Clark	Wesley R. Ringius
George M. Miller	

Naval Communications	
James W. Bowen	Robert R. Ellis

Supply Corps	
Joseph A. Donnelly	

Civil Engineering Corps	
Melvin H. Levy	David F. Walker

Annapolis Superintendent Pay

The Navy Department this week asked Congress to provide that the Superintendent of the Naval Academy shall receive the highest pay of his rank while so serving.

The legislation provides that a superintendent of the grade of rear admiral, lower half, shall receive the pay of a rear admiral, upper half. The Navy also asked for the repeal of old laws authorizing sea-duty pay for the Superintendent of the Naval Academy, the Commandant of the Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif., and the Supervisor of New York Harbor.

Medical Care

S. 1640, which would "authorize payment of claims for medical care and treatment of personnel" of all the services "furnished other than by activities of the Federal Government" when treatment and care from such activities cannot be reasonably obtainable, has received the approval of the Navy Department, whose officer personnel are the only ones not now profiting by such an arrangement.

Identify Old Navy Photo

The Naval Air Transport Service at Moffett Field, Calif., hopes to identify a Lt. (jg) of the Medical Corps and four other men posed with the Navy's first hospital plane, the H-1, a flying boat with stretcher lashed to the fuselage, in Key West in 1919.

NATS describes its picture as follows: "The ship is an old pusher type single engine bi-plane. The shot was taken from the starboard side looking aft. Picture left: a grinning Lt. (jg) MC, dressed in blues with white cap cover, is semi-kneeling, right arm around struts, right hand holding large, half-filled medicine bottle, left arm stretched out to man in stretcher. Next is pilot, dressed in flight jacket and helmet, goggles pushed up off face, sitting in cockpit, right elbow over cockpit side, looking full face at camera. Pilot on other side of cockpit is turned, smiling at patient, his right arm stretched out so that right hand rests on patient's chest. He is bare-armed, has on sleeveless pull-over sweater, goggles pushed up over helmet. Head of litter rests between two pilots. Patient is on his back, has bandages over face and front part of head. He has sleeveless pull-over sweater over khaki shirt."

Anyone having information on the identity of these persons should write Mrs. Hall Rider, c/o NATS, at the Naval Air Station, Moffett Field.

Payment of Rental Allowance

Pursuant to Comptroller General decision B-66869 effective 24 July, Naval officers detached from ships or stations and ordered to hospitals for treatment are not entitled to rental allowance for period from date of admission to date of discharge, both dates inclusive, as the hospital is considered permanent station for rental allowance purposes.

Such an officer who is authorized to subsist himself as outpatient may be paid rental allowance for such period provided the Medical Officer in Command of the hospital furnishes the usual certificate of nonassignment of quarters showing "authorized to subsist as outpatient."

Adm. Cary Honored

As a reward for speeding the repair of battered Dutch fleet vessels while wartime commander of Treasure Island, U. S. naval base off San Francisco, Rear Adm. Robert W. Cary, USN (Ret.), now Director of Industrial Relations of Willys-Overland Motors, has been made commander of the Order of Orange-Nassau with Swords, by the Dutch Government.

The award, one of the highest honors bestowed upon non-Dutch citizens, was made in Toledo, Ohio, by Dr. J. B. V. M. J. van de Martel, consul general of The Netherlands for the Middle West.

New Navy GCA Installation

Construction on the Navy's latest refinement in all weather landing system has been completed and the new Ground Controlled Approach traffic system at the Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R. I., is now ready for operation.



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In 1943 to form and train night fighter squadrons. This unit grew in importance as night attacks assumed more importance in the Pacific. At one period this unit turned out one night fighter squadron on an average of every fifteen days.

Besides specialized detachments charged with the actual maintenance of a continuous flow of air groups in a state of combat readiness, it was necessary to produce a trained maintenance unit for each group, and a detachment was created and charged with the specific responsibility. A similar detachment was formed to train landing signal officers for assignment to these groups and to aircraft carriers.

Thus ComFairQuonset, under the command of the Commander Air Force, Atlantic Fleet, was the intermediary stage on the East Coast that moulded the individual aviators from operational training into finished air groups ready in all respects for combat. By such an organization the type commander was relieved of the numerous details of producing combat carrier aviation units and was left free to fulfill its primary mission and to conduct naval aviation's phases of anti-submarine warfare which was of prime importance on this coast.

The end of the fighting war resulted in marked changes in the mission and functions of ComFairQuonset. There was no longer a need to form new air groups and emphasis was now placed upon maintaining the post war aviation units at a peak of proficiency. In addition, the end of the war relieved much of the pressure on the type commander and enabled the Commander Air Force, Atlantic Fleet, to direct activities in greater detail. Another factor contributing to the new mission of ComFairQuonset was the evolution of the post war Navy and with it the decision to base half the Atlantic Fleet in the Newport area. This division of fleet aviation units between Norfolk and Newport made it desirable to maintain a subordinate command in this area.

In view of these factors, the Commander Air Force, Atlantic Fleet designated ComFairQuonset as area commander for AirLant units based north of Lakehurst, N. J. In this capacity, ComFairQuonset acts as ComAirLant's representative in administrative matters and has been specifically delegated the responsibility of fulfilling, in this area, the type commander's mission in all matters pertaining to supply and logistics. Administratively the command acts as liaison between fleet aviation units based in the Quonset Area and the shore establishment in all matters affecting the support of such units and fleet units of other types in the matter of local services. In matters of supply and logistics the command maintains the utility squadrons, experimental squadrons, carrier divisions together with their air groups, and maintains administrative supervision of the supply functions of the service squadrons (FASRons).

Even though the emphasis in the mission of ComFairQuonset has now been changed somewhat, the command remains responsible for coordinating fleet aviation training in the area and for allocating the training facilities to be utilized. In the absence of other responsible authority, ComFairQuonset supervises the actual training and operates these assigned units with a view to maintaining maximum military effectiveness.

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U. S. COAST GUARD

APPROXIMATELY 425 officers of the Coast Guard Reserve serving on active duty have been reappointed to the same permanent ranks held on 24 July and to the same temporary ranks held on the same date.

The action was taken to clarify the status of Reserve officers whose permanent appointments had been in effect three years or more. The automatic termination of these permanent appointments necessitated renewal of temporary appointments.

Commissions in the Coast Guard Reserve are automatically terminated at the end of each three-year period, but the Coast Guard had wartime authority to

extend the life of these appointments. A joint Congressional resolution signed by the President on 25 July terminated certain of these war powers, including that authorizing extension of Reserve appointments.

The Coast Guard has installed a special type reflector on several thousand buoys along the New England coast and in the Mississippi River area. A new type of material reflects searchlight beams readily, and makes the buoys more easily seen at night.

The reflecting material consists of a sheet metal collar which fits around the buoys 10 to 12 inches from the top, and

is red or black, depending on the buoy's color. Many small crystals are embedded in a waterproof adhesive and properly bonded to the metal band. The Coast Guard lists the following advantages for the new material:

- "(a) It is light in weight and does not make the buoy top-heavy.
- "(b) It is relatively cheap.
- "(c) It is visible at all angles, because the many minute crystals reflect light beams striking the buoy from any direction."

A study of plastic tableware as a possible replacement for chinaware and metal trays in enlisted men's messes ashore and afloat is in progress.

It has been found that well-engineered plastic dishes can materially reduce breakage and eliminate health hazards

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resulting from use of chipped chinaware. Metal compartmented trays reduce the palatability of meats due to rapid cooling of food. Good plastic dishes presently cost from three to five times as much as standard china now in service.

The Navy Board of Awards has announced that Henry C. White, CAP, USCG, will be awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, and his radioman, George H. Boggs, ARMI, the Air Medal for the destruction of an enemy submarine in the early years of the war. White was flying a Coast Guard Widgeon (J4F) armed only with a single depth charge.

Navy To Ice-Test Jet Plane

The Navy will ice-test a "Phantom," jet fighter airplane, by exposing it to the frigid blasts on top of Mount Washington, N. H., this winter.

A primary object of the tests will be to correlate engine and wing icing conditions in order to determine whether the jet engine under operating conditions or the plane's wings will ice-up first. Engineers from the Aeronautical Engine Laboratory, Naval Air Material Center, Philadelphia, and the Aircraft Icing Research Laboratory of the Wold-Chamberlin Company, Minneapolis, will conduct the tests.

The plane will be secured in a flat-topped "Butler" building to be erected on top of the mountain. The building will be opened at both ends to form a natural wind tunnel when the tests are run, and will be closed during non-test periods to protect the engineers from the severe winter of Mount Washington, where the thermometer sometimes drops to 40 degrees below zero.

Bikini Scientific Resurvey

Bikini—Three Sea Bee mechanics, working in off-duty hours, have assembled a hybrid jeep from discarded material left on Bikini last year by Crossroads units.

Joint Harbor Defense Class

Fort Scott, Calif.—Nine Army and Navy Officers were graduated this week from one of the most unique Service Schools in the country, the United States Naval School (Harbor Defense) at Ft. Winfield Scott.

This school, which is part of the Seacoast Branch of The Artillery School, is designed to prepare Army and Navy officers for duty as planners on the staffs of higher commanders.

The development of composite defense has been a result of World War II operations. This new concept of harbor defense was developed during actual combat operations in the Pacific Islands invasion of World War II. During the invasion of the Philippines this type of harbor entrance control was used successfully in Leyte Gulf.

Members of the first graduating class were: Lt. Col. Burt N. Singleton, USA; Lt. Homer C. Grasherger, USN; Lt. (Jg) Nathaniel T. Hensley, USN; Capt. Parker A. Rued, USA; Lt. Col. Albert A. Moren, USN; Maj. Paul E. Pigue, USA; Chief Radio Electrician Augustine J. Devine, USN; Capt. Thomas F. Maloney, USA; and Lt. (Jg) Raymond A. Rabe, USN.

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8th AF Sub Patrol Training

Hq., Eighth Air Force, Ft. Worth, Tex.
—Extension of the training program of the very heavy B-29 super-fort crews of the Eighth Air Force to include simulated submarine patrol and long range reconnaissance missions in the Caribbean area beginning 1 Sept. was announced here by Brig. Gen. R. M. Ramey, its commander. Other global tasks now assigned the Eighth, the world's only atomic unit, include training flights to Tokyo, Alaska and Germany.

One very heavy bombardment squadron of the Eighth Air Force will be attached every other month beginning 1 Sept. to the 807th Bomb. Group (VH), 94th Wing, MacDill, Fla., for operational control to fly these missions, according to the directive issued by Hq., Strategic Air Command, Wash., of which the Eighth is a part. Long range flights will be made to Panama, Puerto Rico and other bases in the Caribbean Defense Command zone. The organization assigned to fly the missions will function as an entity under field conditions.

The initial squadron to undertake this training, the first of its type in peace time, will be selected from the units of the 500th Bomb. Group (VH), Roswell Army Air Field, N. M., commanded by Col. William H. Blanchard, AC. Additional groups to participate every other month after 1 Sept. will be the 7th Bomb., Fort Worth Army Air Field, Tex., commanded by Col. Alan D. Clark, AC, and the 43d Bomb. (VH), Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Ariz., commanded by Col. James C. Selser, Jr., AC.

Lawson Field Exec

Lt. Col. Fred G. Henry, from the Air University, Maxwell Field, Ala., who served as air liaison officer for the Fort Benning Infantry School since last November, has been named Base Executive Officer at Lawson Field succeeding Lt. Col. Henry L. Crouch, Jr., who was appointed to the Air Command and General Staff School, Maxwell Field, base officials have announced.



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE**Aircraft-Weapons Board Meets**

The Aircraft and Weapons Board of the Army Air Forces met 19 Aug. at AAF Headquarters to discuss aircraft procurement and characteristics of the aircraft to be procured.

The board, recently formed, has the duty of determining the aircraft and weapons procurement and research and development programs of the AAF. Subsequent meetings will take up weapons and other equipment. Formation of the board, which will meet irregularly at the call of its chairman, brings together under a central organization functions carried out by several organizations during the war.

Membership on the board is automatic with assignment to several major AAF commands and Headquarters assignments. Current members of the board are:

Lt. Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Deputy Commander and Chief of Air Staff, Chairman.
Maj. Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, Deputy Chief of Air Staff for Research and Development.

Brig. Gen. John E. Unatone, Acting Assistant Chief of Air Staff-1 (Personnel).

Maj. Gen. George C. McDonald, Assistant Chief of Air Staff-2 (Intelligence).

Maj. Gen. Earle E. Partridge, Assistant Chief of Air Staff-3 (Operations and Training).

Maj. Gen. Edward M. Powers, Assistant Chief of Air Staff-4 (Materiel).

Maj. Gen. Otto P. Weyland, Assistant Chief of Air Staff-5 (Plans).

Maj. Gen. E. W. Rawlings, Air Comptroller.

General George C. Kenney, Commanding General, Strategic Air Command.

Maj. Gen. Elwood R. Quesada, Commanding General, Tactical Air Command.

Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemyer, Commanding General, Air Defense Command.

Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Commanding General, Air Materiel Command.

Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, Commanding General, Air Training Command.

Maj. Gen. Robert W. Harper, Commanding General, Air Transport Command.

Maj. Gen. Muir S. Fairchild, Commanding General, Air University.

Brig. Gen. Carl A. Brandt, Commanding General, Air Proving Ground Command.

Air Committee Reports

The United States should maintain in peacetime military air strength sufficient to launch an air offensive which will cripple any aggression at its source, the Air Coordinating Committee advised President Truman this week.

The Committee, established by Executive Order 19 Sept. 1946, is charged with advising the President on aviation policies and activities.

"Ability to control the air and to ex-

plot that control by air weapons," the Committee's survey says, "requires the coordination of all the elements of air power which include the military air strength, the manufacturing industry, air transport, and reserves of trained personnel and equipment."

Emphasizing the importance of quality of equipment, the survey stated:

"In order that the military air strength may be effective, it must always be furnished with the most advanced aircraft, armament and related equipment, provided through a vigorous program of research, experimentation and engineering development. In air combat a minor difference in performance characteristics of aircraft and related equipment usually has an immediate and profound effect upon the outcome of the combat. Therefore, successful research and development is a prerequisite to effective military air operations."

"The United States should develop and maintain in its territory a system of bases and facilities sufficient to permit deployment of the armed forces to meet the needs of national security. An important characteristic of air power is mobility. Provision must therefore be made for rapid shifting of bases of operation in time of emergency."

The Air Reserve, the report said, must be efficiently organized and thoroughly trained in the latest weapons, equipment and tactics, and must be adequate to facilitate a planned expansion of the military air strength in being to meet an emergency.

Maintenance by the Armed Forces of peacetime air transport services capable of furnishing the continuing military requirements for air transportation, developing technique and methods applicable to wartime operation, and expanding through utilization of civil air carriers to meet an emergency, was also recommended.

Following are excerpts from the Committee's recommendations concerning industrial planning:

"In peacetime, substantial money savings and more efficient military and production planning would result if aircraft procurement by the military services were based on long-range programs rather than the present year-to-year practice. Several years usually elapse between the first design and actual production of modern aircraft. After evaluation of the first experimental article, there is a time lapse of 12 to 18 months for fighters and 18 to 24 months for bombers before initial production starts. Fighters usually remain in production at least three years and bombers five to six years. Current limitations on the life of funds permit ordering only small initial production quantities. This results in aircraft being built largely by hand methods and without adequate production tooling. Approval of long-range program requirements for contract authorization, subject to annual review, would result in: (a) greatly reduced aircraft cost; (b) a more efficient and stable aircraft industry; and (c) a sounder base for industrial preparedness measures."

"Industrial planning for mobilization of the aircraft industry is a vital aspect of security which must be carried on in peacetime. It must establish clearly the emergency requirements for air weapons, the production schedules for the companies that will design and build them, the required resources of plants, tools, labor and materials, and the means of providing those resources. Mobilization planning is, however, no substitute for going production, which is the base from which planning must start."

"To insure uninterrupted flow of military needs in event of a future emergency, dispersal of industry should be emphasized and pilot underground plants should be established."

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18 AAF Generals Reassigned

Reassignments of 18 Army Air Force general officers were announced this week. Brig. Gen. Edward J. Timberlake, who had been attending the National War College, has been named chief of the operations division, office of the Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Operations at AAF headquarters.

Brig. Gen. John P. McConnell has been assigned to head the Reserve and National Guard division, office of the Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Operations, at AAF headquarters.

Brig. Gen. John F. McBlain succeeds Maj. Gen. Idwal H. Edwards as commanding general of the United States Air Forces in Europe. General Edwards is returning to AAF headquarters at Washington, where he will replace Maj. Gen. Fred S. Anderson as Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Personnel.

Maj. Gen. Robert W. Douglass, Jr. has been appointed commanding general of Air Training Command's Indoctrination Division at San Antonio, Texas.

Brig. Gen. Ernest Moore, after attending the National War College, has been appointed to replace Brig. Gen. Charles P. Cabell on the military staff committee of the United Nations military staff committee. General Cabell, who directed operations and intelligence for the Allied Air Forces in the Mediterranean Theater during the war, has been assigned to AAF headquarters in Washington for reassignment.

Brig. Gen. Aubrey Lee Moore, who served on the staff of the United States forces in the European Theater of Operations, has been named commanding general of Williams Field, Arizona.

Brig. Gen. Carl B. McDaniel, formerly chief of staff of the Seventh Air Force in Hawaii, has become commanding general of the aerial observer-bombardier school at Mather Field, Calif.

Brig. Gen. Donald F. Stace, former commander of the Seventh Air Force in Hawaii, has become chief of the procurement and industrial planning division in the office of Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Materiel at AAF headquarters.

Brig. Gen. William F. McKee, former commanding general of Headquarters Command with the U. S. Air Forces in Europe, is returning to AAF headquarters in Washington for assignment.

Brig. Gen. Lucas Victor Beau, Jr., who has been assigned to the AAF's European Air Transport Service, is returning to AAF headquarters in Washington for reassignment.

Brig. Gen. Deann C. Strother, a graduate of the National War College, has been named chief of the military personnel division in the office of the Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Personnel at AAF headquarters.

Brig. Gen. George F. Schulgen has been assigned as deputy to the Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Intelligence at AAF headquarters and chief of the air intelligence requirements division in that office.

Brig. Gen. Richard C. Lindsay, formerly assistant chief of staff for intelligence with the Far East Air Force in Japan, has been assigned to AAF headquarters in Washington for reassignment.

Maj. Gen. William E. Hall was assigned to Europe for duty with the office of military government for Germany.

Brig. Gen. Alden R. Crawford recently succeeded Maj. Gen. Laurence C. Craig as chief of Air Materiel Command's engineering division at Wright Field, Ohio. General Craig returned to AAF headquarters in Washington to head the research and engineering division in the office of the Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Materiel.

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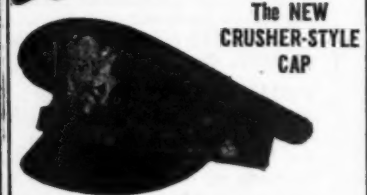
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Unification Reports

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other instruction material used in training for food service and commissary operations, with the exception that the Air Force should perform this function for in-flight feeding and other technical problems of food service pertaining only to the Air Force.

Ordnance

Will the Army Department fulfill all of the procurement requirements of the Air Force Department?

A: No. The Air Force Department will continue to perform a minimum armament function. This will not entail any duplication of existing facilities. Full use will be made of the principles of cross-procurement and cross-servicing.

Who will train, organize, man and employ armament units on duty with the Air Force?

A: The Commander of the Air Force. These units will be an organic part of the Air Force.

Who will provide the technical training for armament specialists in the Air Force?

A: The Air Force and the Army. To the extent practicable, technical specialists will be trained in common schools.

How will Air Force officers get their general experience necessary in ordnance matters?

A: As a part of their career training, including detail with the Army.

Who will procure ordnance items of common interest?

A: Each department will include and defend funds for items of common interest. Procurement will be accomplished by one department for another in accordance with the principle of cross-service under policies established by the Secretary of National Defense.

Transportation

What is the essential immediate requirement with regard to transportation activities in order to implement the unification plan?

A: It is believed that, initially, action should be taken to insure that the Army and the Air Force are each provided with full transportation support, either within its own organization or from another department, to accomplish its intended mission. This is an essential, immediate requirement since the present organization is such that each force is in part completely dependent on the other for support in certain major categories. This is not an immediate requirement with respect to the Navy since the Army (including the Air Force) and the Navy are each comparatively independent insofar as essential service support is concerned. Arrangement for cross-servicing between the Army and Navy can follow chronologically the Army-Air Force arrangements, and these latter arrangements should be made with the view to their later expansion to include the Navy.

A joint agency should be organized and so constituted as to accomplish the following movement control functions:

- To integrate requirements between the departments.
 - To match department requirements with available transport means.
 - To determine categories of transportation means to be used in meeting requirements.
 - To establish priorities of movements between the departments.
 - To plan schedules of movements to meet requirements.
 - To accomplish rate negotiations.
- The nucleus for such a movement control unit is now present in the War Department.

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to count on the direction or support of his commander. He will be on his own. Leaders who will succeed under such conditions must combine the dash, vigor and recklessness of youth with the sound judgment and experience of age. The only answer is thorough training in advance of the emergency.

Flying Cadet Age Changed

A War Department message has been issued stating that effective immediately the age requirements for Aviation Cadet Candidates are changed from 18 to 20½ inclusive to 20 to 26½ years inclusive.

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Congress' Professional Staffs

During the past session of Congress, advance conferences with the War and Navy Departments, plus independent investigations, enabled the professional staff of the Senate Committee on Armed Services to advise the committee on 300 bills and resolutions, 225 of which were Senate bills, 53 House bills, and 22 Resolutions, 59 of which were enacted into law.

As bills referred to the Senate committee reached the committee rooms, the members of the professional staff, consisting of the following former officers of World War I and/or II, Maj. Gen. Verne D. Mudge, Col. Justice H. Chambers and Lt. Col. Mark H. Galusha, adopted the modus operandi of deciding which one should do advance work on and handle a stated bill. This method differed from that of the parallel House staff, each of the members of which handled bills related by subject to each other.

Biographies of the members of the professional staff of this committee follow.

Gen. Mudge

Verne D. Mudge graduated from the West Point Military Academy as a 2nd lieutenant, Cav., 2 July 1920, and attained the pre-war rank of major in 1940, and successively during the war the temporary ranks of lieutenant colonel, colonel, brigadier general, and finally major general, on 8 Aug. 1944. He was a graduate of the Command and General Staff School, and of the Army War College.

Successive assignments placed him in the Personnel Division, WDGS; chief of staff of the 1st Cavalry Division; in command of the 5th Brigade, 2nd Cavalry Division; and 2nd Cavalry Brigade, with which he went to the Southwest Pacific Area.

The Division of which his brigade was a part participated in the New Guinea campaign and conquered the Admiralty Islands, after which General Mudge's brigade occupied Manus Island, second only to Pearl Harbor as a naval base. He was in command of the 1st Cavalry Division which shared in the operations on Leyte and Samar. Following this, the Division went to Manila where General Mudge participated in the occupation and cleaning up of the city. During the attempt to clear fortifications and caves of the Japanese, General Mudge was severely wounded by a Japanese grenade, as a result of which he was hospitalized in Walter Reed Hospital. On release from the hospital he was assigned to the Personnel Board of the Secretary of War.

General Mudge has been awarded the DSC, the DSM, Silver Star, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal, Purple Heart, 6 battle stars and one bronze arrowhead on his campaign ribbons.

Col. Chambers

Justice H. Chambers, formerly a captain in the USMCR was retired as a Colonel from the USMC because of wounds received at Iwo Jima. He has had 17 years of progressive service in the Federal Government in the fields of administration and personnel with the Departments of Agriculture and Treasury, and the Maritime Commission.

Going on duty with the Marines in 1940, he was assigned to the Fleet Marine Force, serving with combat units throughout his service, going through all the grades to Battalion Commander. In the Guadalcanal campaign he was severely wounded; following this he shared in the Marshall Islands campaign and at Saipan, Tinian, and Iwo Jima, being wounded at Saipan and seriously wounded at Iwo Jima. Colonel Chambers was retired from the Marine Corps in the Fall of 1940.

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Colonel Chambers was awarded the Navy Cross, Legion of Merit, Silver Star, and 3 Purple Hearts.

Lt. Col. Galusha

Mark H. Galusha served in World War I in enlisted grades and was discharged as a 2nd lieutenant of Infantry. Graduated from West Point in the class of 1923, commissioned as a 2nd lieutenant C.A.C. Resigned from the Army in 1927. Was Secretary to the Governor of Massachusetts, 1939-1941. Was Commissioner of Agriculture of Massachusetts, 1941-1942. Served in the Army in World War II, 7 April, 1942 to 20 Nov. 1945 in the ranks of major and lieutenant colonel, in the Subsistence Division, Office of the QMG; Planning Division of the ASF; and Operations Division, WDGS.

Cooperating with the professional staff was the office staff composed of former Maj. John G. Adams, chief clerk; Capt. James A. Saunders, USN-Ret., naval liaison officer; Col. Frank A. Allen, Jr., USA, War Department liaison officer; and assistant clerks, Dr. Walter I. Smalley and Herbert S. Atkinson.

House Committee

The House Committee, broken originally into 12 sub-committees, supplemented finally by one more, was able, as a result of the advance study and advice of its professional staff, to sift 426 bills and resolutions, 394 being House bills, 20 Senate, and 12 Resolutions, 59 of which were enacted into law.

Members of the professional and clerical staffs included Messrs. John R. Blandford, Bryce N. Harlow, Clinton B. D. Brown, Robert W. Smart, Robert H. Harper, and Townsend Hoopes.

During the session, the place of Capt. Isaac Bogart, USN, liaison officer between the Navy Department and the House committee, has been taken by Capt. Halstead S. Covington, USN-Ret., a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, class of 1922. Also, in the interim, the duties of Col. C. Jonathan Hauck, Jr., USA, JAG, liaison between the War Department and the committee, have been taken over by Col. Charles R. MacDonald, USA, AAF.

Captain Covington served for a number of years in destroyers, commanding the USS Decatur (341) from 1937 to 1939. However, the greater part of his professional career has been devoted to duty on various staffs, as the personal aide and Flag Secretary to the Commander, including Commander Train Squadron One, Atlantic; Commander Base Force, Pacific; Commander Destroyers, Bat-

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tle Force, Pacific; Commander Battleships, Battle Force, Pacific; Commander Battle Force, Pacific; Commander Task Force One Pacific; and, lastly, as Deputy Chief of Staff to Commander Amphibious Forces, Pacific.

Captain Covington was serving aboard the USS California on the Staff of Commander Battle Force at the time of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. Subsequent wartime assignments included that of Naval Liaison Officer to the Roberts' Commission investigating the Japanese attack; Flag Secretary and Combat Intelligence Officer for Commander Task Force One, Pacific; District Intelligence Officer for the 12th Naval District; and as Commander of an LST Flotilla of the Pacific during the final year of the War.

Captain Covington was retired for physical disability on 1 June, 1947, but was continued on active duty for his present assignment. He holds the campaign ribbons of World Wars I and II, Navy Commendation ribbon, and the Second Nicaraguan ribbon.

Colonel MacDonald began his Air Corps pilot training as a Flying Cadet in 1938, and after initial commissioning as a 2nd Lieutenant, Air Corps, in the Regular Army went through all ranks to Colonel, AUS, which he attained in May 1944 and now holds, although a first Lieutenant, Regular Army.

Colonel MacDonald, rated a Senior Pilot, had active duty at Moffett and Hamilton Fields, Calif., and Wheeler Field, Hawaii, in 1941. From then until 30 June 1945 he was Commanding Officer, Airplane Pilot 340th Fighter Squadron and later of the 475th Fighter Group at stations in the United States and the Southwest Pacific Area.

From 30 June 1945 to 8 Jan. 1947, Colonel MacDonald served as Chief, Air Forces Branch, and later Deputy Chief in the Liaison Branch, Legislative and Liaison Division War Department Special Staff in Washington, and is now on duty as Liaison Officer with the House Committee on Armed Services.

Colonel MacDonald has been awarded the Silver Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, Distinguished Flying Cross with 5 Oak Leaf Clusters, and Air Medal with 10 Oak Leaf Clusters.

78th Division Reunion

The 78th Division Veterans Association will hold its 27th annual convention at Fort Dix, N. J., 29, 30 and 31 Aug.

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IT just isn't true that the Army wives in Italy are besotted and inconsiderate creatures who make life miserable for the enlisted personnel, as charged by Robert C. Ruark in a series of syndicated articles appearing in our country's press. These women are a cross section of the distaff side of our people, and as such, have all the virtues and all the faults, all the charm and all the temper of their race. We happen to know personally a number of them, and we can testify that the "officer's wife" (apparently in Mr. Ruark's opinion a term of reproach) is not constantly quarreling, or "sleeping off a hangover from last night's cocktail party," or permitting the children to maul Pfc Jones or the dog to lick his face while driving them in an Army car to the beach. In spite of his assertions that the married couples are living like reasonable facsimiles of millionaires in huge apartments that here would rent for \$1,000 a month, and there only \$105 a month, have three stupid servants, are using Army cars to attend parties, and at the same time are saving money on their husbands' pay, for which they should be commended and are envied. He contends they dislike Italy and Italians and that there is "something" that makes them nervous, although Ruark says that what they have got to be nervous about he does not know. The obvious inference to be drawn from this is that they would prefer to live less "lavishly" elsewhere. Then he cavils at the nursery school established at Trieste which, he says, is conducted by a cold eyed sergeant of the Regular Army. He should know that such a school resembling our kindergarten, is especially essential in a community of Italians and Yugo-Slavs with feeling running high between the occupying troops of hostile nationalities, and that protection for the wives and children can only be assured by Army guards. That Lieutenant General Lee, the Theater Commander, felt nothing had occurred in his command to justify the sweeping charges Ruark published was shown by his invitation to the Press to investigate conditions in his area and by his request to the War Department that The Inspector General make a thorough probe of the reports. The New York Times' correspondent stated: "Although discipline here is strict and some minor abuses have been perpetuated by some individual officers, the management of the Army in this area gives no cause for serious criticism." The New York Herald-Tribune correspondent saw, "Many officer luxuries and enlisted men's complaints, but few differences from the standard of Army overseas practices." The National Negro Press Association reported that colored troops preferred assignment to General Lee's command. Amongst the complaints is the use of enlisted men as chauffeurs for taking officers to cabarets at night and their wives on shopping tours during the day. There is of course no suggestion of confirmation of Ruark's charge of drunken women with hangovers and their mistreatment of enlisted men. As a matter of fact, the sole reason why wives of commissioned and enlisted personnel were allowed to go abroad was to improve the service morale. It is the proud boast of the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force, that their women have made every effort, without being patronizing, but just American, to establish cordial relations with all their Service associates. With regard to relief, for instance, aid is furnished to a family whether its head was a commissioned or enlisted man. We know of cases where close friendships have been developed which extend over the years even when transfers have brought prolonged separations. If in General Lee's command there have been abuses, such as Ruark has described, stern punishment should and will be meted out. But in the case of Army wives, in order that they may not remain in the public minds as the dissipating, thoughtless, and inconsiderate creatures Ruark has reported, The Inspector General, we hope, will include in his report a full statement of their behavior, and confident of their vindication as we are, we believe the country will have a better understanding of the great service they are rendering to the Military establishment and to the country, and we shall expect a full apology to be made by Ruark.

THE oldest of military arms, the Infantry emerged from this war, as from others in the past, with renewed glory and the appreciation of a thankful nation, only to begin again its battle against popular opinion that the soldier who fights on foot is outmoded by modern developments. In other years there were those who claimed that Infantry's place on the battlefield would give way to the horse, to artillery, to mechanization, to armor, and to air power—even our own leaders in World War II, deeply impressed by the speed and power of Germany's air-armor team in the early days of the war, found it necessary later to give greater attention and energy to the building up of our power in Infantry divisions. At the end of World War II the Army had organized 16 Armored divisions, five Airborne, one Cavalry, and one Mountain Division, and 66 standard Infantry Divisions. Today there are those who see no need of Infantry strength in an age of atomic warfare. Yet military men around the world know that victory in an atomic war will be achieved when the Doughboys, as part of the great team of all the Armed Forces, have seized the enemy's industrial centers, mines, factories and launching sites, for by that means the enemy can be rendered and kept impotent. The Infantry Division today incorporates a greater variety of weapons and is capable of greater mobility than ever before. Every modern means of transportation from motor and rail to ship and air can be utilized to take it to its selected field of battle and to get it there with the men fresh, and well fed and supplied. It is the Army's objective that every Infantry Division of the future will not merely be amphibious but "triphibious," capable of swift movement by land, sea, or air. While new arms have been and will be developed to exploit fully the products of modern science and industry, the Infantry retains its age-old position as a keystone of military power.

Service Humor

Ignorance is Bliss

A lad from Brooklyn turned up in a mess hall in a Texas camp holding the rattles from a rattlesnake.

"Where'd you get 'em?" a KP asked.
"Off a big worm!"

—Fort Belvoir Castle

Influence

The snarly old miser fell sick, and in a panic sent for the local clergyman, although he had never done anything to help the parish.

"If I leave \$50,000 to the church," he croaked, "will my salvation be assured?"
"I wouldn't be certain," replied the clergyman, "but it's well worth trying."

—Fort Sam Houston Pulse

Great Risk

Yearling: "Come on, take a bath and get cleaned up. I'll get you a date."

Classmate: "Yeah, and what if the date falls out?"

—The Pointer

Undiluted Scotch

The little Scotch couple shared a seat on the train from Edinburgh to London. At every way station the man would hop out of the train and buy two tickets for the next station. The conductor finally got tired of punching the fares. "Where are you bound for?" asked the conductor grimly.

"London," said the Scotsman.

"Then why the devil don't you buy two tickets and save me all this bother?" demanded the conductor furiously.

"Ah," said the Scotsman, "the doctor tells me that my wife has a very weak heart and it is likely to give out any minute."

—Andrews Field News

Realistic

Five-year-old Christopher came home from a party with his clothes ripped. "Gracious!" exclaimed his mother, "what happened to your brand new suit?" "We were playing grocery store," replied the youngster, "and I was a piece of Swiss cheese."

—Mather Field Wing Tips

Your Guess

Two men who have been bachelor cronies met for the first time in 10 years. "Tell me, Tom," said one, "did you marry that girl, or do you still darn your own socks and do your own cooking?"

"Yes," was Tom's laconic reply.

—Brookley Field Welfare

Worried

"I tried counting sheep like you said," a clothing manufacturer told his partner, "but I could not get to sleep anyhow!"

"I told you," replied the partner, "it was no use counting a few. You had to count thousands."

"I counted thousands," said the sufferer. "Thousands and thousands. Then I sheared them, combed the wool, spun it into cloth. The cloth I made into suits, took them to the wholesalers—sold them and lost \$20 apiece on each one. How could I sleep under the circumstances?"

—Fort Meade Post

Solid

Teacher: "Can anyone tell me what causes trees to become petrified?"

Student: "The wind makes them rock."

—Fort Ord Panorama

Ask The Journal

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E.B.T.—Retired pay is based on current active duty base pay and longevity, and a general decrease in active duty pay would mean a decrease in retired pay. The recently authorized increase in pay for Medical Corps officers does not affect the retired pay of such officers. This increase is an addition to active duty base pay (similar to flight pay for Air Corps personnel), and as it is not an increase in base pay retired pay is not affected.

T.W.A.—Men and women who served honorably in the United States Armed Forces either in peace or in war are entitled to burial in national cemeteries. For information write to The Quartermaster General, United States Army, Washington 25, D. C.

J.H.C. — The Office of the Chief of Finance has advised us that for the purposes of setting a date for the period of time after retirement that a retired officer may travel to his home at government expense (within one year after the date of retirement or one year after the end of the present war, whichever is later). The war is not yet ended. The period of time during which you will be allowed to collect such travel pay will remain indefinite until the date of the war's end has been determined.

In The Journal

One Year Ago

Having served as Director of Budgets and Reports in the Navy Department since 1938, Rear Adm. Ezra G. Allen, USN, is now on terminal leave after a distinguished naval career including 33 years' active service as an officer.

10 Years Ago

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Lauren S. Willis, USMC, Ret., were dinner hosts Saturday evening, honoring Comdr. and Mrs. Lewis N. Moeller (CFC) USN, who arrived recently from Honolulu to make their home during Commander Moeller's tour of duty here. (San Diego news.)

25 Years Ago

Lt. Col. Robert McC. Beck, Jr., USA, who is a member of the faculty at the Cavalry School, is in Washington in connection with the co-ordination courses of the Special Service Schools.

50 Years Ago

Lt. Edwin H. Tillman, USN, at present commanding the U. S. coast survey steamer Matchless, will be added to the Naval Academy staff. He will report 15 Sept., leaving the Matchless 1 Sept.

80 Years Ago

The Indian Commission begins its labors amid a fresh and fierce outbreak of hostilities (Indian) on all sides. We must aim to accomplish our original object, which was to keep the Indians away from the great belt of emigrant travel which stretches from the Missouri to the Rocky Mountains. This belt of travel is also the zone of traffic. It will be the great trans-continental highway for years to come.

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w/ the Office of Mil Govt for Germany, Berlin,
is asgd to Hq 1st Sv C, Boston, Mass., for
dy as CG.

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member of GSC fr asgmt to WDGS and fr
dy w/ Chief of Staff's Advisory Gp OC of S,
Wash., D. C., is asgd to Hq CINCEUR, Berlin,
Germany.

Brig. Gen. C. P. Cabell, fr asgmt to Stu
Det Nat'l War College, Wash., D. C., is
asgd to Hq AAF, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. A. Hornsby (Lt. Col. AC) re-
tired as Brig. Gen., p.d.

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John N. Brown

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—In the important policy speech made before the Pan-American conference sitting at Rio de Janeiro, Secretary of State Marshall reminded his audience, "that the state exists for man not man for the state." Here was an expression of democracy which will not fail to register at Moscow. It conveys in a sentence the basis of American policies, and our purpose to promote it whatever the resistance offered to it. It was expressed in our demand that Russia direct Bulgaria to suspend the death sentence imposed upon Nikola Petkov, leader of the opposition agrarian party, pending a review of his case; in our move to bring the Balkan problem before the United Nations General Assembly next month from the Security Council where Russia wielded two more vetoes; in our emphatic objection to Soviet seizure of so-called German assets in Austria and blocking of the entrance of American relief supplies in the Soviet Zone of that country; and especially in our determination to suspend adoption of the plan to withdraw our troops from Italy until Russia shall have ratified the treaties with that country and the Balkan states. Especially irritating to us is the Russian arrest of two American soldiers who inadvertently crossed into the Soviet Zone in Korea. We have demanded the facts about the arrest of these men and will follow this up if necessary by further demands for their return to our zone. The prospect is that Moscow will deem it prudent to comply with our requirements.

An understanding of why the Soviet Union is preventing peace settlements and promoting world chaos is contained in the report on "Trends in Russian Foreign Policy" prepared by the Library of Congress' legislative reference service for the Committee on Foreign Relations, as released this week. That report states: "The summit of Communist hopes and aspirations is, in the last analysis, today as in Lenin's time, a complete change of the world's political, economic, social and cultural setup, and at the base of Soviet foreign policy lies the desire to make the world safe for communism or Sovietism."

Shaping up in the newly created Dominions of India and Pakistan is a system of defense by which those populous and potentially rich regions may preserve their integrity in the unsettled world in which they have been liberated. Thus far, in the excitement of independence, not a great deal has been accomplished, but there is an awareness of the problem and considerable thought and planning is underway both in the Dominions and in the United Kingdom.

As the states entered into their new Dominion status, their military systems were by mutual agreement operating under a Joint Defense Council to which both Lord Mountbatten and General Sir Claude Auchinleck were, and will continue to be until other arrangements are made, advisory members. It is expected that within a short time negotiations will be opened leading to the drafting of treaties or agreements between Pakistan and India and the United Kingdom as to what part the latter will play in assisting those dominions to build their defenses, what bases England may use in those areas, etc.

At present each of the new states has a peacetime Army, Navy, and Air Force of nominal size. With independence from Britain, they are planning to strengthen their military forces in size and striking power. In India, there is presently a standing Army of about 200,000 and in Pakistan an Army of about 100,000 men. In reserve, though not organized as such, there is a pool of approximately 2,000,000 trained men who served in World War II, where, despite India's apathy toward prosecuting a war in which it was brought into participation without consultation, an Army of about 2,500,000 Indians fought with distinction in the Allied campaigns in North Africa, Burma, Italy, and elsewhere. Both the Armies in India and Pakistan are short in officers experienced in high command, attributable the Indians say to the failure of Britain to encourage their advancement. However, there is a large number of experienced officers between the ages of 40 and 48 years who, their countrymen are confident, have the ability and, by reason of their wartime experience, the background to develop the new forces. The ranking officer of the new Indian Army is Maj. Gen. Cariappa who is 48 years of age and has 27 years' military service. Three other officers of the Indian Army were promoted to be major generals on 1 Aug.

Both India and Pakistan have small navies, but without any capital ships. The new states, however, have many miles of coastline and a number of shipyards suitable for construction and repair, so that it is likely they will undertake a program of construction of destroyer and cruiser type vessels. India's Navy is manned by about 10,000 men, while Pakistan employs about one-third that number for her sea-going forces. The vessels include frigates, sloops, trawlers, landing craft, and minesweepers.

The new Dominions' air forces are also small, and consist only of outmoded airplanes of British types—Spitfires and Hurricanes. India has eight squadrons totalling about 100 planes, and Pakistan has only two squadrons. Both forces are mostly in fighter types. Although Indian pilots were trained by the Royal Air Force, India is preparing to train her own pilots, or, as is more likely, to seek foreign aid in establishing training programs.

Naval Air Transport Service—A check on the average monthly instrument time throughout the various NATS Squadrons has just been completed. Figures given are the monthly averages for April, May and June 1947. Throughout NATS the average for pilots is: Instrument, 10 hours; Hooded, 2.0 hours; Link Trainer, 1.9 hours; or a total of 14.8. NATSLant Squadrons are just above average. In the Pacific, VR-2 is slightly above average and VR-5 far above average, with a total of nearly 35 hours per month, over eight of which is in the Link Trainer. The other NATSPac Squadrons are well below average, as is also NATSAsia. Operating Squadrons have been instructed to check carefully into Instrument Training procedures and insure that training of all pilots in this matter is adequate.

A total of 873.4 operational hours was flown by VR-2 in July, making a record as the highest monthly total flown by that squadron since receipt of the Mars flying boats. Reported also by VR-2 was the accomplishment of its Engineering Department recently in making four JRM's available for schedule.

VR-7 is moving from Nichols Field to Langley Point, where it is expected that NATS will commence operations on 1 Sept.

NATS provided field instruction recently for 32 student aerological officers under instruction at the Post Graduate School, Annapolis. Capt. H. A. Spanagel, USN, head of the PG School, wrote NATS that "the most beneficial phases of the instruction were the extended flights from NAS Patuxent to NAS Alameda, and return, which were suggested and arranged by Capt. Donald L. Mills, USN. These

flights enabled the students to gain an insight into aerological problems which they would not have otherwise received."

Army Ground Forces—Col. Paul L. Ransom, Chief, Training Group, G-3, and Lt. Col. Sidney V. Bingham, Jr., Combat Arms Branch, Troop Training Division, G-3, attended a conference on rifle marksmanship at Fort Benning, 19-20 Aug.

A group of eight Chinese officers headed by Maj. Gen. Chen Le Kai, Deputy Surgeon General, Chinese National Army, visited Headquarters, Army Ground Forces, 10-15 Aug.

Maj. Gen. John A. Chapman, Chief of the Australian Mission to the United States visited the G-3 and Developments Section, Headquarters, Army Ground Forces 18-19 Aug.

Lt. Col. Charles Billingslea, Policy Group, Plans Section, and Lt. Col. Steve A. Chappuis, Chief, Air and Special Training Branch, Training Division, G-3 Section, attended the 82d Airborne Division Conference, Fort Benning, Georgia, 20-22 Aug.

Maj. Frank E. Napper, Supply and Materiel Division, Ordnance Section, visited Ordnance units at Fort Bragg, N. C., 18-20 Aug.

A group of four officers from Headquarters, Army Ground Forces, headed by Lt. Col. Henry B. Kunzig, RTC Branch, Training Group, G-3, visited the Ninth Infantry Division, Fort Dix, New Jersey, 18-23 Aug.

Lt. Col. Geraldine P. May, Chief, WAC Division, G-1, Section, has departed on a four week tour of WAC detachments in the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Army Areas.

National Guard—Maj. Gen. Butler B. Miltonberger, chief of the National Guard Bureau, announced this week that 31 National Guard ground units in 14 states had been granted federal recognition during the week ending 15 Aug., making a total of 2,641 ground units and 291 air units recognized.

Rhode Island and Georgia have been authorized to distribute approximately \$26,000 to National Guard units for enlisted men's unit funds. The Rhode Island fund amounted to \$4,661.57 and that of Georgia to \$21,684.21. Previously, distribution of over \$310,000 had been authorized by the National Guard Bureau.

Personnel changes in the National Guard Bureau include the assignment of Lt. Col. Jack Baum, AC, to the Supply Maintenance Branch, Aviation Group.

Members of the 43d Infantry Division, commanded by Maj. Gen. Kenneth F. Cramer of Wethersfield, Conn., recently completed their two weeks summer field training. The division commander is to become chief of the National Guard Bureau in September.

Activation of the 1270th Engineer Combat Battalion of the Michigan National Guard at Detroit last week gives Michigan a total of 99 ground units with a strength of over 4,000 officers and men. A total of 17 light planes will be assigned in the near future to the headquarters of Michigan's 46th Infantry Division, as well as to the Artillery headquarters, Artillery Battalions and Infantry regiments.

Altoona's 28th Quartermaster Company of the Pennsylvania National Guard is the first unit in the country to report having recruited its full authorized enlisted strength. Brig. Gen. Daniel B. Strickler, commanding general of the 28th Infantry Division, has announced.

Adjutant General's Department—Lt. Col. Benjamin L. Wolfson, AGD, formerly with Personnel Information Branch, AGO, was transferred last week to the Detachment of Patients, Walter Reed General Hospital.

Lt. Col. George G. Wolfe, AGD, has been relieved from duty with the Personnel Information Branch, AGO, and transferred to the European Command with station in Bremerhaven.

Maj. James S. Carpenter, AGD, of Strength Accounting Branch, AGO, has been assigned to Hq. 5th Army, Chicago.

Maj. Horace P. Easley, (AC), AGD, recently was relieved from duty with Personnel Information Branch, AGO, and transferred to Hq. Army Air Forces, Office of the Air Adjutant General.

Maj. Paul S. Willard, AGD, Correction Branch, AGO, left last week for six days temporary duty at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Texas.

Maj. Clyde Gregory, (CAC) AGD, has been relieved from duty with the Assignment Branch, AGO, and transferred to the Student Detachment, Artillery School, Fort Sill.

1st Lt. Robert F. Byrne, AGD, has been relieved from duty in the Security Classification Review Branch, AGO, and transferred to the European Command.

Finance Department—Brig. Gen. Eugene M. Foster, Assistant Chief of Finance, Lt. Col. W. LeRoy Bates, Maj. Arthur W. Newbury and Maj. John H. Mathias of the Office of the Chief of Finance, departed from Washington last week for temporary duty at the Army Finance Center at St. Louis, Mo.

Maj. Cyril C. Green of the Receipts and Disbursements Division, Office of the Chief of Finance, piloted the Office of the Chief of Finance soft ball team to victory in the War Department Soft Ball League when his team defeated the AGO Decorations and Awards Team in the final game of the League last week in Washington by a score of 8 to 7.

Capt. David W. Jones, Jr., recently integrated into the Regular Army, reported for duty in the Office of the Chief of Finance last week and was assigned to the Management Division. He previously served as disbursing officer at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey and at Juneau, Alaska.

Capt. Albert L. Liggett was recently transferred from the Headquarters of the Army Audit Agency in the Pentagon, Washington, D. C., to the European Command.

Army Reserves—War Department Circular 208 establishes special additional criteria for direct appointment in the Military Intelligence Reserve and Army Security Reserve of technical experts under the provisions of paragraph 17c (2), War Department Circular 101 (Officer Procurement).

Reserve officers from the entire Sixth Army Area have been attending orientation and indoctrination courses given at the Seacoast Branch of The Artillery School, Fort Scott, Calif., in recent weeks. Three courses in all will be given. Subjects cover the military field from organization of the Army to latest developments in research on electronics and atomic energy.

Reserve officers attending the second course at the school include: Col. Lyn C. Fox, San Francisco, commanding the 91st Infantry Division; Lt. Col. W. C. Indoe, Portland, Ore., commanding officer of 348th FA Bn; Lt. Col. H. J. Kunstling, Los Angeles, Calif., commanding officer of the 2d Bn, 361st Inf; Lt. Col. Elmer C. Mower, San Francisco, 91st Division executive officer; Lt. Col. Victor W. D'Orazi, San Mateo, Calif., executive officer, 91st Division Artillery; Col. Ingermar E. Hoberg,

San Francisco, 81st Division executive officer; Lt. Col. Victor W. D'Orazi, San Francisco, assistant G-3, and Lt. Col. Richard H. Nedderson, Oakland, Calif., commanding officer of 301st Infantry.

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery—The Surgeon General, Rear Adm. Clifford A. Swanson (MC) USN, inspected the Naval Hospital and other medical facilities at the Marine Corps Base, Quantico, on 13 Aug. Accompanying him were Rear Adm. A. W. Chandler (DC) USN, Assistant Chief of the Bureau for Dentistry, and Capt. Hilton W. Rose (MC) USN, Lt. Comdr. Ruth B. Dunbar (NC) USN, and Lt. Comdr. A. H. Nelson (HC) USN.

Admiral Chandler represented the Navy at the 88th annual meeting of the American Dental Association held in Boston recently. He also served as an official member of the United States Delegation to the Tenth International Congress which was convened simultaneously with the ADA meeting.

Examinations for the selection of candidates for appointment as Lieutenant (junior grade) in the Medical Corps, USN, will be held at all Naval Hospitals in the United States during the period 6-10 Oct.

Corps of Chaplains—Col. Marcel Sturm, Chief Chaplain of Protestant denominations of the French Army of Occupation, conferred recently with officials at the Chief Chaplain's Office, Headquarters, European Command, in efforts to outline an international program of co-operation between Protestant chaplains of the French and American occupation armies in Germany and Austria. A similar plan is already in effect with the British and American Protestant chaplains.

Col. Paul J. Maddox, Chief of Chaplains, Headquarters, EUCOM, and Colonel Sturm have just returned from Oslo, where they attended the World Conference of Christian Youth for the Protestant Churches of the World, at which 71 nations were represented.

Chaplain (Maj. Gen.) Luther D. Miller, Chief of Chaplains, USA, gave the invocation at the dedication of memorial plaque at the Main Post Office, 19 Aug.

Chaplain (Col.) Patrick J. Ryan, Deputy Chief of Chaplains, USA, departed for Europe, 20 Aug. 1947, for the purpose of inspecting Chaplain activities and contacting ranking civilian clergymen as well as heads of foreign chaplain services. The tour of inspection will extend for approximately 45 days.

Transportation Corps—Col. Frederick W. Hyde, TC, has recently returned to the Zone of the Interior after a full tour of overseas duty in Europe. After a short leave Colonel Hyde will be assigned to the Third Army replacing Col. Harrie D. W. Riley, TC, Army Transportation Officer, who will retire for age on 31 Dec.

Seventy-five Transportation Corps officers are scheduled for shipment overseas in October and November 1947. Overseas destinations include the European Command, the Far East Command, the Mediterranean Theatre, Alaska, and the Territory of Hawaii.

Lt. Col. Joseph L. Phillips, TC, and Maj. Ernest C. Seaman, TC, have been assigned as Transportation Officers for duty with the Office of the Military Government in Germany. They will depart for their overseas station on or about 15 Oct.

Quartermasters Corps—The Quartermaster General has announced the establishment of an Advanced Food Service Course at the Quartermaster School, Camp Lee, Va. This Advanced course will be of nine months' duration with the first class opening on 29 Sept. Selected officer students will be trained as Food Service Supervisors and Food Service Instructors. The program will provide officers thoroughly versed in the preparation and serving of food and in the supervision of Army messes on all levels.

Establishment of the advanced course is a continuation of the Food Service Program which was initiated last year with the establishment of the Mess Management Course and the Food Service Schools.

Navy Orders

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Tenn., to Atomic Energy Commission, Oak Ridge.

James D. Whitfield, Jr., Navop, to USNR program, PRNC.

Adelbert F. Converse, USNH, Bethesda, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Harold R. Demarest, Guam, to CO, USS Pococ, AGC-16.

George E. Fee, CO, USS New Kent to Insp-Instr of USNR, New Orleans.

Roland E. Krause, Navop, to Bd to Review Discharges and Dismissals, Navy Dept.

Adolph J. Miller, staff, ComServPac, to Asst. C of S, Com-14.

Joe B. Paschal (AVH) Stanford U., to CO, NAAS, Sandley Fld, Pensacola.

Benjamin V. Russell, USNH, Newport, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Harry Sanders, Asst. NA, London, to Navop.

Commanders

Ernest S. Bathke (CEC), Philadelphia NSYd, to PWO, MarBks, Parris Island.

Charles H. Hascall, Jr., (MC) USNH Chelsea, to USS Consolation, AH-15.

Lewis P. Holt (S) RAB, Navy Dept., to proceed home; relieved active duty.

David N. Inbusch, UTU, WestPac, to Command with USNR program.

Frank N. Maas (S) USNH Oakland, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Nicholas J. Nicholas, Northwestern U., to OlnC, RectSta, Boston.

Jay T. Palmer, CO, USS Wyoming, to OlnC, RectSta, Philadelphia.

Eric Parnell (SE) USNH Chelsea, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Ray M. Piott (AVH) CO, FASRon-6, to CO, FASRon-1.

George N. Schiff (MC) PRNC, to USNH, Annapolis.

Arthur B. R. Smith (MC) USNH, Annapolis, to USNH, Jacksonville.

William M. Snowden (MC) Annapolis, to NavAvr, USS Coral Sea, CVB-43.

Anton Zikmund (MC) Rochester, Minn., to USNH, Oakland.

Edward F. Ferguson, Stanford U., to Naval

Govt. of Guam.

Ned Harrell, Stanford U., to Naval Govt. of Guam.

Robert E. Hess (AVH) staff, GenLineSch, Newport, to XO, USS Valley Forge, CV-45.

William H. Hoffman (CEC) Com-12, to USNH, Philadelphia.

William C. Meyer, Treasure Island, to be Asst. OlnC, USNR TraCon.

William P. Murdoch (S) Office of SecNav, to InsMat, Cleveland.

Edward R. Nelson, Jr., Stanford U., to Civil Administrator, Yap.

Fletcher L. Sheffield, Jr., Stanford U., to Naval Govt. of Guam.

Wendell W. Snydam (AEDO) Harvard U., to NAS, Quonset Point.

Edmund D. Doyle (SL) Coal Mines Admin, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Hilmer A. Erickson (DCR) USNH Key West, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Francis O. Fletcher, Jr., CO, USS T. E. Chandler, to Dir. of ONOP, Boston.

Frank E. Swanson (CEC) Stanford U., to BuDocks.

Laurens A. Whitney (AVH) USS Saldor, to USS Tarawa, CV-40.

Lieutenant Commanders

William A. Buckley (AVL) NAS, Moffett Fld, to NAS, Lakehurst.

Robert F. Burnett (DC) USS Sierra, to NTC, San Diego.

Oscar I. Chenoweth, Jr., (AVH), USS Midway, to AirLant.

Harold R. Darling, SC, New London, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Harris Hamersmith, Jr. (AI), USNH Bethesda, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Daniel F. Harrington, Jr., Stanford U., to Civil Admin. Unit, Salpan.

Jesse L. Hill, USNH Jacksonville, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

John F. King, San Diego, to Sub-Group-2, Charleston Group, LantResFt.

Loren H. Kiser, Stanford U., to XO, Civil Admin. Unit, Truk.

Willard J. McNulty, Stanford U., to XO, Civil Admin. Unit, Palau.

Adrian L. Muldoon, SCR, USS Benevolence, to Charleston Group, LantResFt.

Two of the Army Food Service Schools are located in the Second Army area; one at Fort Meade and the other at Fort Knox, Ky. Qualified enlisted men have the opportunity to advance up the line from the old "K. P." status, now Mess Attendant, to the Technical Sergeant position of Mess Steward, or to the commissioned position of Food Service Supervisor.

Bureau of Supplies and Accounts—The Bureau plans to hold conferences during the period 1-3 Oct. for District Supply Officers, Supply Officers in Command of Naval Supply Depots, Supply Officers at Naval Shipyards, and Officers in Charge of supply offices operating under the new Navy Supply System, and others.

Only tentative plans have been made thus far. This meeting will be preceded by a seminar in public relations for senior Supply Corps officers on 29-30 Sept., in the Office of Public Relations, Navy Department.

The following Supply Corps officers have been nominated to attend the Holloway Plan College Training program: Lt. J. L. Willess, Lt. (jg) R. W. Brauer, Lt. (jg) A. G. Gudgeon, Lt. (jg) M. Mackey, Lt. (jg) A. V. Marrin, Lt. (jg) R. L. McNitt, Lt. (jg) M. A. Nelson, Lt. (jg) W. Parry, Lt. (jg) L. A. Stearns, Ens. N. M. Crowder, Ens. G. J. Kleotcka, and Ens. E. D. Simonson.

Medical Department—Col. Charles P. Ward has been announced as the new XXIV Corps Headquarters Surgeon, replacing Col. William D. Willis of Dallas, Tex., who will leave for the United States soon for reassignment. Colonel Ward was formerly plans, operations and training officer with the Medical section, Headquarters 3rd Army in Atlanta before arriving in Korea.

The 2nd Mobile Army Surgical Hospital, a new type of medical organization developed to overcome the defects experienced by Field-Hospital Units during World War II, is scheduled to participate in the forthcoming winter exercise, "Snowdrop," an operation in which elements of the 82nd "All American" Airborne Division, will establish an air head in up-State New York at Pine Camp, November 1947 through March 1948. Commanded by Maj. James Q. Simmons, Jr., the 2nd Mobile Army Surgical Unit has its own basic medical staff supplemented by surgical teams, and its own X-Ray, Pharmacy and Laboratory facilities.

Col. Charles S. Lawrence, Commanding Officer of the Quartermaster Food and Container Institute for the Armed Forces, announces the publication of "Ration Development," the latest in a series of Operation Studies titled "A Report on Wartime Problems in Subsistence Research and Development." "Ration Development" was prepared by Capt. John P. Samuels, Lt. Robert P. McDewitt, Miss Marion C. Bollman, Maj. Robert MacLinn, Maj. Lyle M. Richardson, and Capt. Leo G. Voss, all members or former members of the Institute's Rations Branch staff. The introduction was written by Col. Rohland A. Isker, the Institute's former Commanding Officer, and the work was edited by Miss Alice I. Myer, Chief of the Institute's Historical Branch, and Capt. Hewitt A. Conway, a former member of its staff.

Signal Corps—Col. Fred W. Kunesch has been designated Chief, Industrial Mobilization Branch, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, succeeding Col. James H. Benls Bogman, who has retired and is now associated with the Econometrics Institute in New York City.

The Signal Corps has been authorized to recall 100 officers to active duty. While assignments are available in each of the Signal Corps specialties, a particular demand exists at present for photographic officers. Officers may apply either for an indefinite period of service or for a definite period of two years. Company grade officers must have an efficiency index of at least 3.5 and field grade officers 4.0.

Col. James H. Marsh, Signal Corps, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious wartime services as Area Signal Officer, Chunking Area, and as Signal Officer, United States Forces, China-India-Burma Theater.

Marine Corps Orders

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William K. Enright, NAD, Earle, N. J., to Armed Forces Staff College.

Ernest P. Foley, FAS MCS Quantico, to AWS SrCr.

Carl A. Youngdale, FAS MCS Quantico, to AWS SrCr.

Thomas W. Brundage, Jr., FMFPac, to 3d Bn 4th Marines.

Norman H. Jungers, FMFPac, to 5th Serv. Depot.

Daniel C. Pollock, 5th Serv. Depot, to Spec. Serv. Br Pers Dept, HQMC.

William K. Lannan, Jr., HqSq 1st MAWing, to staff, USNA, Annapolis.

Majors

Raymond D. Wright, 2d MarDiv, to Adv. ArtyOffCra, FAS, Ft. Sill.

Wijbur R. Helmer, staff FAS MCS Quantico, to Adv. ArtyOffCra, FAS, Ft. Sill.

Mal R. Kolp, VMR-153, to Div of Avn, HQMC.

Thomas M. Burton, 2d MarDiv, to H&HCo, 8th Marines.

Victor J. Croizat, MB, MT&RC, SDA, to TrVehSchBn.

Robert L. Anderson, HqSq AirFMFPac, to MCAB Cherry Point.

Harry B. Hooper, Jr., VMF-218, to SMS MAG-24.

Norman H. Nickerson, MarAirWest, to MCAS El Toro.

Nat M. Pace, FAS MCS Quantico, to AWS JrCr.

Charles O. Rogers, 3d Bn 10th Marines, to AWS SrCr MCS Quantico.

George R. Thomas, staff FAS MCS Quantico, to AWS SrCr.

David R. Griffin, FMFPac, to 1st MarBrig.

Cecil W. Shuler, 2d MarDiv, to H&S Co 8th Marines.

Joseph H. Reinburg, HqSq MarAirWest, to TACSq-2.

Harry W. Taylor, HqSq MAG-15, to VMR-352.

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D. F. Kennedy, Jr., USS F. D. Roosevelt.
Gerald L. Lillich, MarAirWest.
R. E. Barton, Jr., MarAirWest.
Edward A. Wilcox, 1stMarDiv.
Richard M. Blackford, 2dMarDiv.
Robert L. McNeely, 2dMarDiv.
William E. Sweeney, 2dMarDiv.
D. F. Swanda, 2dReconCo.
Wayne L. Roles, MACSg-1.
Robert H. Bahner, MACSg-1.
W. A. Snare, Jr., USMCR, Richmond.

Commissioned Warrant Officers

The following CWO's have been ordered to stations indicated:

To 1stMarDiv: J. A. Gebhart W. R. Cameron
I. A. Peterson C. H. Raper

To other stations:
Ernest B. Derrick, DoFS, San Francisco.
Antonio Berletta, NAS, Pearl Harbor.
James P. Drummond, 1stMarBrig.
Raymond L. Chapel, D of P.
Elmer H. Sorley, MCAB Cherry Point.
LeRoy A. St. Joer, 1stSepSurvPlt.
Herman A. Papen, 2dMarDiv.
Charles J. Angers, 2dMarDiv.

Warrant Officers

The following WO's have been ordered to stations indicated:

To 1stMarDiv: H. F. Lessem, Jr. J. L. Mundy
H. E. Cabral
To MarAirWest: J. Mel. McCarty E. C. Sakshaug
R. B. Colglazier
To 2dMarDiv: C. A. Fisher W. B. Kohl
J. P. Greene, Jr. G. J. Pelletier
C. W. Horton, Jr.

Maurice O. Bennette, FMFPac fls.
William B. Edmondson, FMFPac fls.
John K. Butler, 1stMarBrig.
William E. Gardner, 11th Marines.
Dee R. Yancey, Dufa, Phila.
Robert A. Porter, Dufa, San Francisco.
George A. Hughlett, Class 1(c) FMCR.
Joseph A. Corvi, AirFMFPac.
Thomas J. Jackson, MilGovt, Koror.
Koris I. Raina, SMS MAG-14.
Lawrence B. Burley, retirement.
Carl C. Lotz, retirement.

Coast Guard Orders (Continued from Page 1303)

Lieutenants

Sidney W. Douglas, Supply Depot, Alameda,
to EO, USCGC Gresham.
William B. Nolan, 9thDistOfc, to EO, US-

CGC Ingham.
William M. Powers, Yard, to EO, USCGC
Sebagio.
William M. Prentiss, USCGC Comanche, to
5thDistOfc.
Gregory E. Smith, 5thDistOfc, to EO, US-
CGC Acushnet.
Percival A. Williamson, Yard, to EO, US-
CGC Escanaba.

Lieutenants (Junior grade)

Carl Blanchett, USCGC Mackinaw, to US-
CGC Campbell.
Alvin J. Boxwell, 3thDistOfc, to RectgSta,
Charlotte, N. C.
Robert J. Carson, 1stDistOfc, to USCGC
Spar.
Robert O. Bracken, USCGC, Nemaha, to
13thDistOfc.
Robert S. Bruce, Pier 9, to USCGC Camp-
bell.

Douglas H. Clifton, orders detaching from
USCGC Minnetonka cancelled.
Howard M. Dunn, 8thDistOfc, to USCGC
Androscooggin.
Melvin H. Eaton, USCGC Comanche, to 5th-
DistOfc.
Carl A. Fenske, 9thDistOfc, to EO, USCGC
Tupelo.
Frank Fitch, USCGC Willow, to 9thDistOfc.
Gunnar E. Hansen, 11thDistOfc, to USCGC
Gresham.

Alton M. Haynes, USCGC Heather, to Depot,
Charleston, S. C.
Melvern M. Hudgins, USCGC Willow, to
9thDistOfc.
John W. Hume, NorLantPat, to 1stDistOfc.
William H. Monger, MMD, Manila, to Ma-
rine Inspection, Miami.
Paul T. Ryan, 9thDistOfc, to USCGC Macki-
naw.
Robert G. Schwing, Loran Monitor Station,
Canton 1, to 14thDistOfc.

Ensigns

Harry N. Hansen, USCGC Tupelo, to US-
CGC Owasco.
Donald J. McCann, USCGC Comanche, to
USCGC Conifer.

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to Armd Sch, Ft. Knox, Ky.
Capt. A. J. Forsythe, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to
3d Cav Gp, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. C. M. Ovnaud, El Paso, to Pers Ctr, Cp
Kilmer, N. J.
Capt. B. S. Smith, Ft. Ord, Calif., to Armd
Sch, Ft. Knox, Ky.
Capt. D. J. Wardell, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 3d
Cav Gp, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. H. I. Fiedler, Cp Holabird, Md., to MI
S Sch, Monterey, Calif.
1st Lt. E. C. George, Westover Fld, Mass., to
5th Army 5025th ASU, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

FIELD ARTILLERY

Col. E. T. Barco, Fairfield-Suisun AAFld,
Calif., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.
Col. L. H. Slocum, Seattle, to Hq 6th Army,
San Francisco.
Col. J. J. Turner, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to
5th Army, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.
Lt. Col. J. R. Beishline, Ft. Leavenworth,
Kans., to 2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Lt. Col. J. S. Blocker, Wash., D. C., to 2d
Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Lt. Col. E. A. Clarke, Phoenixville, Va., to
NYPE.

Lt. Col. K. H. Ewbank, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.,
to 3d Armd Div, Ft. Knox, Ky.
Lt. Col. R. Laskowsky, Columbia, S. C.,
to AAA & GM Ctr, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Lt. Col. M. I. Gray, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 5204th
ASU, Topeka, Kans.
Lt. Col. G. W. Seward, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to
Hq AGF, Ft. Monroe, Va.
Lt. Col. J. W. Browning, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.,
to 4th Army, Ft. Crockett, Tex.

Lt. Col. M. L. Webb, Westover Fld, Mass.,
to AAA&GM Br Arty Sch, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Maj. B. B. Blank, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 2d
Army 2308 ASU, Louisville.
Maj. J. E. Campbell, Ft. Sill, Okla., to
SFPE.
Maj. H. H. Finlayson, Ft. Sill, Okla., to
SFPE.

Maj. S. C. Meyer, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to
College of Wm & Mary, Williamsburg, Va.
Maj. F. C. Sprayer, Ft. Benning, Ga., to
OC of S.

Maj. J. A. Lahmer, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to
OC of S.
Maj. H. L. Stockton, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.,
to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.
Maj. F. J. Michaelson, Ft. Sill, Okla., to
Arty Sch, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Maj. H. D. Wilcox, Jr., Ft. Sill, Okla., to
OC of S.

The following FA officers are reld fr asgmt
and dy at sta indicated and asgd to the
AAA&GM Ctr, Ft. Bliss, Tex:

Capt. J. D. Durbin, Arty Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.
Capt. J. L. Butterfield, 18th FA Bn, Ft. Sill,
Okla.
Capt. C. E. Remick, 18th FA Bn, Ft. Sill,
Okla.
Capt. J. W. Flanagan, 980th FA Bn, Ft.
Sill, Okla.
Capt. J. H. Waters, 2d Inf Div, Ft. Lewis,
Wash.
Capt. J. S. Oppenheimer, MDW, Wash., D. C.
1st Lt. J. T. McMahon, 83d FA Bn, Ft.
Benning, Ga.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

Col. A. W. Gower, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to
5th Army 5101st ASU, Denver.
Lt. Col. A. R. Rauch, San Francisco, to 6th
Army SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.
Lt. Col. J. T. Barrett, Orlando AB, Fla.,
to C&GS College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.
Lt. Col. E. L. Cormier, Chicago, to C&GS
College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.
Lt. Col. A. Virag, Ft. Williams, Me., to 1st
Army 1105th ASU, Cp Langdon, N. H.
Maj. T. A. Barker, Birmingham, Ala., to
Arty Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.
Maj. W. W. Mize, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Arty
Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.
Maj. C. Gregory, Wash., D. C., to Arty Sch,
Ft. Sill, Okla.
Capt. G. C. Brock, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 5th
Army 5369 ASU, Milwaukee, Wis.
Capt. F. A. Nicholson, Prairie View, Tex.,
to 2125th ASU, Institute, W. Va.
Capt. R. L. Omohundro, Ft. Ord, Calif., to
AAA&GM Br Arty Sch, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
Capt. W. W. Whetley, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.,
to Gr Gen Sch Ctr, Ft. Riley, Kans.
1st Lt. A. W. Bacon, Cp Stoneman, Calif.,
to 231st AAA Searchlight Btry, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
1st Lt. J. W. Spiller, Fairfield-Suisun AAFld,
Calif., to 57th Rocket FA Bn, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

AIR CORPS

Col. P. A. Roll, Wash., D. C., to 4020 AAF
BU, Wright Fld, Ohio.
Lt. Col. G. B. Hooker, Jr., Cp Springs, Md.,
to Industrial College of the Armed Forces.
Lt. Col. C. C. Cross, Wash., D. C., to MI
Sv Language Sch, Monterey, Calif.
Lt. Col. A. L. Logan, Ft. Slocum, N. Y., to
Armd Forces Staff College, Norfolk.
Lt. Col. R. W. Ryder, Ft. Worth AAFld,
Tex., to Armd Forces Staff College, Norfolk.
Lt. Col. A. E. Tanner, Wash., D. C., to
100th AAF BU, Mitchell Fld, N. Y.
Maj. C. E. McKay, Atlanta, to 42d AAF BU,
Maxwell Fld, Ala.
Maj. W. Schroeder, Wash., D. C., to 3704
AAF BU, Keesler Fld, Miss.
Maj. G. J. Uhrinak, Harrisburg, Pa., to
430th AAF BU, Harrisburg, Pa.
Capt. R. O. Brown, Scranton, Pa., to 2d
Army 2322d ASU, Williamsport, Pa.
Capt. W. J. McDonald, Newark, N. J., to
2d Army 2313 ASU, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Capt. R. C. Reagle, Wash., D. C., to 482d
AAF BU, Castle Fld, Calif.
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Lt. Col. T. B. Ardis, Hq Ninth AF, Green-
ville AAB, S. C.
Maj. W. W. Dillon, AC/AS-1 Hq AAF,
Wash., D. C.
Maj. W. E. Gernert, Hq AAF, Wash., D. C.

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Lt. Col. E. F. Harding, Jr., OC of S.
Col. R. H. Herman, Hq Fifteenth AF,
Colorado Springs, Colo.
Lt. Col. E. J. Latoszewski, (AC) GSC, OC
of S.
Maj. B. S. May, Hq ATC, AAF Annex No. 1,
Gravelly Point, D. C.

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Col. H. C. Gee, Oak Ridge, Tenn., to Spee
Wynn Proj, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
Lt. Col. R. C. Cornett, Wash., D. C., to Hq
2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Lt. Col. S. W. Dabhan, Wash., D. C., to
Hq 1st Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.
Lt. Col. W. A. Falka, Langley Fld, Va., to
C&GS College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.
Lt. Col. R. W. Lockridge, Ft. Belvoir, Va.,
to 170th AAF BU, Brooks Fld, Tex.
Lt. Col. H. C. Rowland, Jr., Wash., D. C.,
to N. Atlantic Div, CE, NYC.
Lt. Col. A. J. Goodpastor, Jr., Wash., D. C.,
to Hq 1st Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.
Lt. Col. E. L. Rowny, Wash., D. C., to Hq
1st Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.
Maj. W. A. Darden, Jr., Ft. Belvoir, Va., to
321st AAF BU, TAC, March Fld, Calif.
Maj. R. C. Holland, Wash., D. C., to 4307th
ASU, NOPE, Ia.
Maj. E. L. Icke, Umatilla, Oreg., to USMA.
Maj. J. O. Hanes, Ft. Montrie, S. C., to 3d
Army 3400th ASU, Ft. McClellan, Ala.
Maj. F. D. Straub, Atlanta, to N. Atlantic
Div CE, NYC.
Capt. C. C. Bryant, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to
Engr Ctr, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
Capt. L. A. Drees, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to
Engr Ctr, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
Capt. J. E. Moore, Cp Stoneman, Calif., to
6th Army 6006th ASU, Flagstaff, Ariz.
Capt. J. W. Ruby, Ft. Sill, Okla., to Engr
Sch, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
Capt. T. R. Garrard, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to
Hq 2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.
Capt. D. B. Hoolbier, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to
2d Army 2322d ASU, New Cumberland, Pa.
1st Lt. W. A. Klusake, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.,
to 2d Army 2134th ASU, Cp Lee, Va.
1st Lt. G. R. Koch, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to
MDW 701st ASU, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
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Tex., to 4th Army, Cp Hood, Tex.
1st Lt. L. R. Spencer, Ft. Mason, Calif., to
Gen Distribution Dep, Atlanta.
2nd Lt. A. T. De Sciacolo, Ft. Belvoir, Va.,
to 463d AAF BU, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.
2nd Lt. J. T. Kenney, Jr., Ft. Belvoir, Va.,
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SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS

THE Judge Advocate General of the Army and Mrs. Thomas Green left Washington Thursday for the West Coast. General Green is to make a speech on the 29th at Bellington, Wash., at a convention of the Bar Association. They will be gone two or three weeks.

Before leaving they took part in a picnic held last Saturday at Marshall Hall on the Potomac, the Bureau personnel, some three hundred or so with wives and children, having a very delightful time in one of the groves reserved for the company.

General and Mrs. Green have their own boat anchored off Wellington Village.

The chairmen of the committee responsible for the outing were Lt. Col. Sidney Wogan, Maj. Marion H. Smoot, Maj. Donald T. Ruby, Maj. William Downey, Maj. William Blackbar and Lt. Col. Curtis Williams.

Mrs. Green has recently returned from several weeks visit at Moravia, in the Finger Lake region of New York, with which her family has been identified for generations.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Kendall Loughry were welcomed back to Soldiers Home from their wedding tour by Col. and Mrs. Douglas Cordner also of the Home personnel, at an informal party the other afternoon.

Comdr. Lee Cummins Carey was host at a mint julep party last week-end at Ocean City, Md., among his guests being Comdr. and Mrs. Lee Fisher, Comdr. and Mrs. Oden Bowie Duckett, Col. and Mrs. Levin Gale Shreve, Col. Clarence Miles, Lt. George Leiper Carey, 3rd, Maj. and Mrs. Alexander M. Knapp, and Lt. Robert Dean.

Capt. Walter Hargrave who has been in command of the Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., is assigned to the U. S. Naval Academy and he and Mrs. Hargrave and children are due to arrive at their new quarters on Porter Road in Annapolis.

Some three hundred or more guests gathered at the reception at Walter Reed General Hospital Saturday to pay homage to the retiring Superintendent of the Army Nurse Corps, Col. Florence A. Blanchfield after thirty years' service, and to welcome her successor, Col. Mary G. Phillips who has served for eighteen years and returned from duty in Japan about six months ago.

The reception was held in Delano Hall and in the receiving line were the Surgeon General of the Army Maj. Gen. Raymond W. Bliss, the Commanding General of the Army Medical Center and Mrs. George C. Beach, and Col. L. Gertrude Thompson, Chief Nurse at Walter Reed Hospital.

Presiding at the tea table were Lt. Col. Ida W. Danielson, Lt. Col. Katherine E. Baltz, Lt. Col. Nina Baker, and Maj. Inez Haynes. Serving cocktails were Maj. Ruth Faylor, Capt. Emilie Jensen, Lt. Theresa Sementa and Lt. Marie Keating.

Lt. and Mrs. Robert Kitt, currently living in Newport, have been guests of his brother, Mr. Karl A. Kitt and Mrs. Kitt of Dream Landing, Annapolis, and are now en route to the West Coast during his month's leave.

Capt. W. S. Cunningham, who has been for some time skipper of the USS Curtis, is taking command of the naval air technical training center and he and Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Valerie Cunningham have gone on to Memphis for his new detail.

Mrs. Lewis Sorley Rogers, of the American Legation, Bern, Switzerland, with her son "Buckie," after motoring in France and along the Riviera, has enjoyed meeting old friends during a recent visit to her brother, Lt. Col. Stone Sorley and his family in Munich.

Mrs. Merrill Ellicott Spalding of Washington is registered at Hotel Thayer, West Point, New York.

Lt. Col. L. J. Lampke, Ret., and wife, after touring Bar Harbor, Canada, Thousand Islands and Saratoga Springs have



MISS ELIZABETH ANN YANCEY,
daughter of Col. and Mrs. William Burbridge Yancey, whose engagement to Capt. John Forbes Hayden, CE, USA, has been announced.

been visiting their son, Col. V. D. Whatley and their daughter Peg at their home, 4331 Hawthorne St., N.W., Washington, D. C. Their granddaughter Dale accompanied them for a visit to their home in Raleigh, N. C.

Announcement has been made of the birth of a daughter, Judith Terry, to Mr. and Mrs. Belden S. Tucker, of Belem, Brazil, at Anurora, Illinois. Mrs. Tucker, the former Mary Alice Gibson, daughter of Col. Paul W. Gibson, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Gibson, will spend several months visiting her parents before returning to Brazil, where her husband is a Sanitary Engineer with the Institute of Inter-American Affairs. Colonel and Mrs. Gibson have recently purchased a home along the Fox River, Route 1, Batavia, Illinois.

Brig. Gen. Guy B. Denit, who leaves 1 Sept. to take up his new duties as Surgeon of the 1st Army at Governor's Island in New York, will be the guest of honor at a stag dinner to be given Monday evening, 25 Aug., at the Officers' Club of the Army Medical Center in Washington.

Maj. Gen. Raymond W. Bliss, The Surgeon General of the Army, members of the Surgeon General's Office, and a group of prominent Army doctors in the Washington area will be present to pay tribute to his accomplishments.

During the war General Denit distinguished himself as Chief Surgeon of the Pacific Theater. He was decorated three times for his outstanding service in this war. Since Spring of last year General Denit has been in the Surgeon General's Office. He has been Deputy for Plans. A native of Salem, Va., General Denit was graduated from the Medical College of Virginia in 1914 and went on active duty in the Army in 1916.

In addition to members of the Surgeon General's Office, the following guests have been invited: Maj. Gen. Malcolm C. Grow, The Air Surgeon, Maj. Gen. Howard M. Snyder, MC, Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff, Brig. Gen. Albert W. Kenner, MC, Special Assistant to the Secretary of War, Brig. Gen. George C. Beach, Jr., Commanding General, Army Medical Center, Col. Fred H. Blesse, The Chief Surgeon, Army Ground Forces, Col. Joseph R. Darnell, Surgeon, Fort Belvoir, Col. Raymond O. Dart, Commanding Officer, Army Institute of Pathology, Col. Joseph H. McNinch, Director, Army Medical Library and Col. Floyd V. Kilgore, Surgeon, Military District of Washington. Brig. Gen. Thomas L. Smith, Chief, Army Dental Corps, Col. Rufus L. Holt, Commandant AMD Graduate School, Col. James A. McCallam, Chief, Army Veterinary Corps.

Weddings and Engagements

THE marriage of Miss Nancy Lee Baker to Lt. Col. Alexander Archer Vandegrift, Jr., USMC, will take place today as formerly scheduled at the quarters of the Commandant of the Marine Corps and Mrs. Vandegrift at the Marine Barracks, but the ceremony will be witnessed only by relatives and close friends, due to the sudden death this past week of the father of the bride-elect, Mr. Robert O. Baker.

Mrs. Robert Thomas Baker of Fairfax, Va., grandmother of the bride, recalled the invitations for what was planned to be a very festive marriage with reception in the lovely old garden with the parents of the bridegroom, Gen. and Mrs. Vandegrift welcoming the several hundred guests.

Rear Adm. William N. Thomas, chief of Navy Chaplains will officiate and General Vandegrift will be best man for his son.

Col. and Mrs. William Burbridge Yancey announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Capt. John Forbes Hayden, CE AUS.

Miss Yancey is a native of Staunton, Va., and a graduate of the University of Wisconsin. During the late war, she was commissioned in the Army of the United States and served with the Army Air Forces at Santa Ana Army Air Base, California and with the First Tactical Air Force in southern France and Germany. Miss Yancey is now assigned to the Military Government Section, Hq 1 Corps, in Kyoto, Honshu, Japan.

Captain Hayden is the son of Mrs. Harold B. Hayden, and the late Mr. Hayden, of Plattsburg, N. Y., formerly of Framingham, Mass. He is a graduate of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., attended Harvard University, class of 1938 and Clarkson College of Technology, class of 1943. Captain Hayden was a member of the Speakers' Club at Harvard and is a member of the Sigma Delta fraternity at Clarkson. He served with the Ground Forces throughout several campaigns in the Southwest Pacific and was recently a member of the Engineer Section, Hq. Eighth Army in Yokohama. Captain Hayden is presently stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Colonel Yancey is now commanding the 19th Infantry Regiment of the 24th Infantry Division at Beppu, Kyushu, Japan.

The marriage will take place sometime next spring, after Colonel and Mrs. Yancey, and Miss Yancey, have returned to the United States from Japan.

Brig. Gen. Joseph L. Phillips, Retired, and Mrs. Phillips now living in San Diego, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret to Maj. Mason Harwell Morse, USMC, son of Mrs. Bryan Morse and the late Mr. Morse of Washington, D. C.

The wedding is to take place 30 Aug. in the chapel at Fort Myer. Miss Phillips has been a member of the Foreign Service staff at the State Department since returning from Hongkong, China, where she served with the American Consulate General.

Capt. Philip G. Nichols, USN, and Mrs. Nichols of Balboa Heights, C. Z., announce the engagement of their daughter Ellen Paine to Ensign Robert Alexander McClelland, III, USN.

Miss Nichols is a graduate of Milwaukee-Downer Seminary and attended Bradford Junior College and the University of Washington.

Ensign McClelland is the son of Mrs. R. A. McClelland, II of Pontiac, Ill. and the late Mr. McClelland II. Ensign McClelland is a graduate of the US Naval Academy, Class of '46, and is now on duty at the Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas.

A September wedding is planned.

Miss Joyce Corinne Little, daughter of Capt. Marion N. Little, USN, and Mrs. Little, Long Beach, Calif., and Maj. William Duane Morgan, USMC, were married 4 o'clock 27 July, at All Saints' Episcopal Church, Long Beach, with the Rev. F. Augustus Martyr officiating. Owing to

the sudden departure of Capt. Little's ship, the USS Bremerton, he was unable to attend the wedding, so the bride was given in marriage by Capt. William K. Mendenhall, USN.

The bride's gown, of white organdy, fashioned with long full train, was trimmed with ruffles of embroidered organdy. Her fingertip veil was attached to a Juliet cap of embroidered organdy, edged with orange blossoms, and long mitts of embroidered organdy completed her ensemble. She carried butterfly orchids and bouvardia, and an heirloom lace handkerchief.

The matron of honor was Mrs. J. Douglas Rumble. The bride's other attendants were Mrs. Kenneth Lightbody, Mrs. Robert Hays, Miss Peggy Mendenhall, and Miss Jean Stibbard. Lt. Col. Arthur Chidaster, USMC was best man and the ushers were Capt. R. E. Melling, USN; Lt. Comdr. Frank Vannoy, USN; Ensign J. D. Rumble, USN, Maj. E. W. Gardner, USMC; Maj. Ralph Wismer, USMC; and Maj. Rex Williams, USMC.

The ceremony was followed by a reception at the Officers' Town Club.

The bride is a graduate of Sullins College, Bristol Va., and Maj. Morgan attended Washington and Jefferson College, Washington, Pa. He is attached to the staff of the Commander Amphibious Forces Pacific, but left early in Aug. for a two month temporary assignment in China, after which he and his bride will be at home in Coronado.

Among the out-of-town guests were Major Morgan's mother, Mrs. William D. Morgan.

Mrs. Agnes Garson of Tulsa, Okla., has announced the marriage of her daughter, Martha Agnes, to Joseph Michel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miguel Michel of 131 Linden Avenue, El Paso, Texas.

The ceremony was held in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, at 8 a.m. Saturday 16 Aug., with the Rev. J. M. Walsh officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Don J. Garson of San Francisco, Calif. The bride's attendant was her sister, Miss Lois Ann Garson of Tulsa, Okla. Mr. Gabe Michel, brother of the groom was the best man.

The bride was gowned in traditional white and her three-quarter length veil was arranged from Juliet cap of Belbian lace. For "something borrowed", the bride carried a silver rosary, belonging to her sister-in-law, Miss Elisa Michel. "Something new" were pearl earrings, a gift from the bridegroom, brought from Yokohama, Japan.

Ushers were Messrs. Paul Pyburn, Charles Hardy and Tom Coppinger.

The bride was graduated from St. John's School of Nursing in Tulsa and attended Richmond Professional Institute of the College of William and Mary, Richmond, Va. She served with the Army Nurse Corps in the European Theater and is stationed at William Beaumont General Hospital as a captain, Army Nurse Corps.

Mr. Michel attended Cathedral High School and the College of Mines. He served four years in the Navy in both the Pacific and European Theaters. He is presently employed by the Army at William Beaumont General Hospital.

After the wedding, a reception and breakfast were held in the Embassy Room of the Hilton Hotel. Approximately 40 guests attended.

After a few days vacation, the couple will make their home in El Paso.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Pocomoke City, Md., was the setting at noon 12 Aug., of the marriage of Ruth Parks Callahan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Griffin Callahan, to Robert R. Westfall, son of Lt. Col. Chester C. Westfall, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Westfall of Snow Hill, Md. The bride is a sister of Capt. L. Griffin Callahan, CAC, and the bridegroom is a brother of Capt. Chester C. Westfall, Jr., Inf.

Mrs. Westfall is a graduate of Western Maryland College, a member of Phi Alpha Mu Sorority, and attended Maryland Institute of Art, Baltimore. Mr. Westfall is a graduate of the College of Electrical Engineering at the University of Maryland, served thirty-four months in the S.C. in the Burma-India Theater, and was placed on inactive duty as a First Lieutenant.

Posts and Stations

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

19 Aug. 1947

Maj. John McMillan Banks, USA, and Mrs. Banks and their young son, David, are guests of Major Banks' mother, Mrs. Daniel Banks of Prince George St., before leaving for Puerto Rico.

Miss Fay Taylor, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Edmund B. Taylor of the Naval Academy, was hostess at a tea last Sunday afternoon at her home on Porter Road.

Mrs. James M. Doyle, wife of Commander Doyle, USN (Ret.), has returned from Shanghai, and is spending several weeks at Carvel Hall.

Capt. and Mrs. Walter D. Sharp of Hanover St., are spending several weeks at Warm Springs, Va.

FT. LEAVENWORTH, KANS.

18 Aug. 1947

The officers and members of the program committee of the Ft. Leavenworth Women's Club met for luncheon on Wednesday, at the Golf Club, to complete arrangements for a Style Show which will be held in the near future. Those present were Mrs. Horton V. White, Mrs. Daniel H. Hundley, Mrs. Russell B. Patterson, Mrs. Elwyn D. Post, Mrs. Leslie A. Skinner, Mrs. Wm. E. House and Mrs. Elias C. Townsend. At a meeting several weeks ago the officers for the coming season were elected, and took office at that time. Mrs. Horton V. White, as the new president, accepted the gavel from Mrs. Daniel H. Hundley, and Mrs. Russell B. Patterson succeeded Mrs. Frederick Matthews as vice-president. Mrs. Edward N. Fay was chosen as secretary to succeed herself, and Mrs. John S. Upham, Jr., accepted the job of treasurer.

The Fort Leavenworth Hunt Lodge was the scene of a farewell party given by the Language Section of the Command and General Staff College for Col. and Mrs. William F. Hennig on Sunday afternoon. Special guests besides the honor guests were Lt. Gen. Leonard T. Gorow, Col. and Mrs. Robert N. Young, Mrs. Horton V. White, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Alva Fitch. Other guests included Lt. Col. and Mrs. Gines Perez, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Mendez, Lt. Col. and Mrs. P. M. Judson, Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. G. Bilbo, Jr., Lt. Col. and Mrs. N. E. Lindley, Lt. Col. and Mrs. C. J. Madden, Lt. Col. Castillas, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ross, Lt. Col. S. Fugua, Maj. and Mrs. Idallo Sardenberg, Maj. and Mrs. Peter A. Helfert, Maj. and Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Maj. and Mrs. Pacheco, Major Huang Te-mei, Major Barzanallana, Major Somuano, Major Doig, Capt. and Mrs. Gomez-Lobo, Capt. and Mrs. R. A. Barraza, Capt. and Mrs. Gladstone M. Jessurun, Capt. and Mrs. Julio C. Rolletti, Lt. and Mrs. Jose M. Perez, Lt. Vasquez and Mr. and Mrs. John Overman.

KELLY FIELD, TEXAS

13 Aug. 1947

Mrs. R. K. Taylor, wife of the new commanding general of the San Antonio Air Materiel Area, was honored at the regular monthly luncheon of the Kelly Field Women's Club, held Tuesday at the Officers Club. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Taylor were formerly stationed at Wright Field, Dayton, O.

During the luncheon hour, Mrs. William Ruark, president of the Women's Club, presented Mrs. Lewis A. Dayton, the retiring honorary president, with a gift.

Summer flowers decorated the tables where covers were laid for 140 members and guests, including Mrs. R. W. Douglas, wife of Maj. Gen. Douglas, the newly assigned commander of Lackland Army Airbase.

WM. BEAUMONT GEN. HOSPITAL, TEX.

18 Aug. 1947

The regular meeting of the William Beaumont General Hospital Women's Club was held 14 Aug., at the Officers' Club. Luncheon was served. Hostesses were Mesdames Howard Hansen, A. T. Waskowicz, and R. C. Schwinst. Five hundred guests attended the formal reception held 10 Aug., in the William Beaumont Officers' Club honoring Maj. Gen. Raymond W. Bliss, surgeon general of the United States Army.

Receiving guests were General Bliss, Col. George W. Reyer, commanding officer of the hospital, and Mrs. Reyer, Lt. Col. Elizabeth Nixon, chief nurse, Lt. Col. Mary Phillips and Capt. Edward J. Pilewski.

Mrs. Reyer chose a rose crepe dinner gown for the party and she wore a corsage of gardenias and stephanotis.

FT. MONMOUTH, N. J.

20 Aug. 1947

For the second time since V-J Day, 1945, the British Royal Corps of Signals and the United States Army Signal Corps exchanged greetings commemorating their victory in World War II. Messages were exchanged between the Chief Signal Officer of the British Army and Maj. Gen. Spencer B. Akin, Chief Signal Officer of the U. S. Army. In addition, Brig. Gen. Francis H. Lanahan, Jr., Commanding General of Fort Monmouth, sent greetings to the Commandant of the Training School of the Royal Corps of Signals at Camp Catterick, England.

Last Friday several staff officers of Fort Monmouth met at the Officers' Club with Maj. R. C. S. Collison, British liaison officer assigned here, where they heard Col. Leland H.

Stanford, acting post commander in the absence of General Lanahan, read the messages. Toasts were drunk to the King of England and the President of the United States.

Guests attending, in addition to those mentioned above were: Col. Charles B. Brown, Col. Donald H. Nelson, Col. Louis J. Tatom, Col. William A. Beasley, Lt. Col. James V. Carroll, Lt. Col. Royal S. Copeland, Lt. Col. Vincent A. MacDonald, Lt. Col. Otto T. Snar, Lt. Col. Wilbert A. Speir, Lt. Col. Robert A. Gaw, Maj. Stanley S. Ehrenmann, Capt. A. K. Quinn, and Mr. J. Peter Hoffman.

CAMP HAKATA, KYUSHU, JAPAN

8 Aug. 1947

On 10 July, the 52nd FA Bn. were hosts at a "come as you are" party. There were many unusual costumes, in which various guests had been surprised, which added to the hilarity of the evening. Anyone who failed to "come as he was" was tried by a "Judge," Lt. Marvin Riley, and made to pay a forfeit for his crime.

The younger set at Camp Hakata has had two new additions recently. William Harold Brabson, III, was born on 21 May to Capt. and Mrs. William Brabson, Capt. Brabson is Division Artillery Air Officer. On 27 June, Richard Alexander Roth was born to Lt. and Mrs. Richard Roth. Lt. Roth is assigned to the 11th FA Bn.

Young Richard Roth was christened on 23 July at the Camp Hakata Chapel. Chaplain Frank Elliott performed the ceremony, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles B. Elliott, Jr., were the god parents of the child. The christening was followed by a small reception at the Roth's home for close friends.

The Camp Hakata Tennis Tournament for the 1947 season produced the following winners: Mrs. Charles C. Blanchard is the Ladies' Champion of the Post with Mrs. Paul H. Walters, the runnerup. The Champion of the Men's Division was Lt. Aubrey Hogstrom, 52nd FA Bn. with Pfc. James Gillette in second place.

MARIANAS BONINS COMMAND

10 Aug. 1947

A review in honor of Brig. Gen. Willard W. Irvine, Deputy Commanding General of the Marianas Bonins Command and Commanding General of the Marbo Base Command will be held, 16 Aug.

A provisional regiment has been organized for this formation. Commander of Troops, Col. D. G. McBride; Executive, Maj. J. F. Dunn; 1st Battalion, Lt. Col. G. W. White, Commanding; 2nd Battalion, Lt. Col. F. E. Stevenson, Commanding; 3rd Battalion, Lt. Col. W. A. Shaffer, Commanding.

Brig. Gen. James A. Retha, Surgeon, GHQ, arrived at Marbo to inspect all medical department installations. He inspected the 22nd Station Hospital, met with the officers and had luncheon in the mess hall of the 22nd Station Hospital.

He visited with Maj. Gen. Francis H. Griswold, Commanding General of the Marianas Bonins Command and Commanding General of the 20th Air Force. In the afternoon he met with Rear Adm. C. L. Andrus, USN, Medical Director, Medical Officer of the Staff of ComMarianas.

Col. A. H. Schwilchenberg, MC, and Lt. Col. F. H. Gibbs, PC, accompanied General Retha from Tokyo.

FT. LEWIS, WASH.

18 Aug. 1947

Maj. and Mrs. Thomas E. Watson, Jr., are going on a nine-day leave to Crater Lake, Ore., this weekend. They will be accompanied by their 15-month-old daughter, Josephine, and Mrs. Watson's mother, Mrs. Henry C. Fuller, of Washington, D. C.

Maj. and Mrs. Eugene Wolfe are entertaining Mrs. Wolfe's mother and sister, Mrs. W. Noel Buckley, and Miss Anne, of Little Rock, Ark., at their quarters.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Paul W. Kendall entertained General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower and his official party at their quarters on Wednesday evening at cocktails and a buffet supper.

Several of the younger officers, and their wives on the post have entertained Lt. and Mrs. Neal G. Baumgardner, USN, and their son, while they have been visiting Mrs. Baumgardner's parents, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Paul W. Kendall.

LONG BEACH, CALIF.

16 Aug. 1947

The Officers' Wives Club of Long Beach, Calif., held its regular monthly luncheon and bridge at the Officers' Club, Allen Center, Terminal Island, on 6 Aug. After mention of the milk fund and appreciation to the hospitality committee for their delightful table decorations, Mrs. George McMillin, president, turned the meeting over to Mrs. Anton L. Mare, hospitality chairman, who introduced Gene Ross, silhouette artist and Doctor Francis N. Clark, fishery biologist. Mrs. Ross told something about her art. Doctor Clark then spoke on the fishery industry of California. Hostesses were Mrs. W. S. Heald, Mrs. T. L. Ballis, Mrs. E. S. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Wells, Robert Thompson and Katherine Gilbert.

FT. KNOX, KY.

19 Aug. 1947

Governor Willis of Kentucky visited here 15 Aug. and reviewed the National Guard En-

campment in ceremonies held on Brooks Field. During the ceremonies Governor Willis addressed the members of the Guard, commanding Brig. Gen. G. H. May, Commanding General, Kentucky National Guard, for the excellent work has been done toward rebuilding the Guard. Afterwards, the Governor returned the organization colors to the Commanding Officers of the units of the Guard. The ceremonies were concluded with the 1400 members of the Encampment passing in Review as P-51 Fighter Planes from Godman Field flew overhead. In the Reviewing Stand with Governor Willis were Maj. Gen. John W. Leonard, Commanding General, The Armored Center and Ft. Knox, Brig. Gen. John M. Devine, Commanding General, The Universal Military Training Experimental Unit at Ft. Knox, Brig. Gen. G. H. May, Commanding General, Kentucky National Guard, and Col. Arthur Bonnycastle, President, Louisville Chapter, National Guard.

Brig. Gen. E. A. Evans, Executive Director, Reserve Officers Association of the United States, addressed members of the Reserve Officers' Association at Mansfield Hall, The Armored School, 18 Aug.

NORFOLK, VA.

21 Aug. 1947

Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. S. Keimling were hosts Saturday night at a buffet supper given in their home at Willoughby Beach for a group of West Point Cadets and their partners, preceding the dance given for the cadets participating in the CAMID operations at the Little Creek Amphibious Base.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nathan Tucker of Hartford, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Leigh Tucker, to Lt. (jg) James Riley Winteringer, USN, son of Mrs. Grace Winterlinger of Stillwater, Okla. The wedding is scheduled to take place in the Autumn.

Maj. and Mrs. Byron G. Belote of Seattle, who have been visiting Major Belote's parents here, have left for Staunton where the major has been appointed a Unit Instructor for Engineer Corps of the Organized Reserve.

FT. GEORGE G. MEADE, MD.

19 Aug. 1947

Officers and their families of Second Army Headquarters and post activities here gathered Sunday afternoon at the Post Officers' Mess to greet Maj. Gen. John T. Lewis, acting commander of the Second Army, and Maj. Gen. Mantion S. Eddy, former Deputy Commander and their wives.

General Lewis recently was assigned to this command as Deputy to Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, who now is in China on a special mission. General Eddy some weeks ago was assigned to the War Department as Director of Public Information.

The reception honoring the two officers was a combined affair of greeting and farewell. In the receiving line with the two generals and their wives were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert B. McClure. General McClure is Chief of Staff of the Second Army. He has just returned to Ft. Meade after a vacation which was terminated with a tour of inspection of installations in the seven states of the Second Army Area.

Lt. Oran K. Henderson, aide to General Lewis, introduced the guests in the long line.

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, MD.

19 Aug. 1947

A military wedding took place 16 Aug. when Miss Isabel Copeland Taylor became the bride of Col. Clinton C. Wasem, in the Main Post Chapel. The ceremony was performed by Lt. Col. (Chaplain) Edward T. Donahue.

The bride was given in marriage by Lt. Col. Firmadego K. Nichols, and Col. Ralph S. Garman acted as the bridegroom's best man, Mrs. J. T. Bull was matron-of-honor and the eight ushers were Capt. J. P. Baglio, Capt. W. H. Jones, Capt. J. G. Buchanan, Capt. H. C. Henschel, Lt. F. T. Miller and Lt. J. W. Fercheo.

Miss Taylor was formerly employed as a fashion model in Pensacola, Florida. Colonel Wasem, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wasem of 815 North Tuacrawna Avenue, Dover, O., is now stationed at Phillips Air Field, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland. He attended Ohio State University and received his commission at Randolph Field, Texas, in February 1938.

TOKYO

4 Aug. 1947

The First Cavalry Division, which occupies the ten prefectures of central Japan, Monday was host to a distinguished party of Canadians headed by General H. D. G. Crerar, wartime commander of Canadian forces overseas.

Escorted by Maj. Gen. William C. Chase, commanding general of the 1st Cavalry Division, and a cavalcade of troopers aboard armored cars, General Crerar and his party rode to the headquarters of Col. T. D. Roberts, commanding officer of the 8th Cavalry Regiment, stationed at the old Imperial Guard Barracks. There, the party inspected crack troops of the regiment, and the barracks, situated in the heart of Tokyo.

After the visit to the 8th Regiment, General Crerar and his party were escorted to Camp Drake, where a guard of honor of headquarters troops under command of Lt. Col.

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John B. Riley, presented arms for the noted World War II commander of the Canadian forces in Europe.

With General Crerar were the following members of his official party: Air Commodore H. B. Godwin, Col. F. Le P. T. Clifford, Dr. E. Herbert Norman, head of the Canadian Legation, all of Ottawa, and Brig. Sherwood Lett, Vancouver, B. C.

The 1st Cavalry Division again participated in honors for General Crerar Wednesday morning at 10 a.m., when the Eighth Army, commanded by Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, presented a colorful military review on the Imperial Palace Parade grounds in Tokyo.

FT. SILL, OKLA.

16 Aug. 1947

Extension of the activities of The Artillery School, brought about by the consolidation of the three branches of artillery last year, has resulted in the appointment of Col. William E. Waters as Director of Instruction, a position authorized but never filled before.

Functioning directly under the Assistant Commandant, Colonel Waters will control school activity at Ft. Sill. The Assistant Commandant is now charged with directorship of instruction at the two branches of the school, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., and Ft. Bliss, Tex., as well as Ft. Sill.

A successor to Colonel Waters' former position of Director of the newly established Department of Analysis and Research has not been named, officials here announced.

BROOKE ARMY MEDICAL CENTER,

Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

18 Aug. 1947

The health of the Army in the United States is remarkably good at this time, Surgeon General Raymond W. Bliss told officials of Brooke Army Medical Center during his recent visit here.

Soldier admissions to Army hospitals for disease was lower during the first week in July than at any other time since 1924, said General Bliss. Disease rates among troops have been unusually low during April, May and June, he said, indicating that the pattern of disease occurrence in the Army has been consistently downward.

As proof of the Army's good health, General Bliss stated that the rate of admissions in hospitals for disease during June 1947 was 395 per thousand as against 705 a month for the war years.

Non-combat injuries are also lower than at any period prior to 1943, with a record in June 1947 of 49 injuries per thousand as compared with 71 non-combat injuries a month during the war years.

The number of patients in Army hospitals has been reduced greatly during the last year. From 95,000 patients last May a year ago, the number has dropped to 39,533 this year.

CAMP HOOD, TEXAS

16 Aug. 1947

Maj. Louis J. Wadde recently assumed command of the 14th Armored Field Artillery battalion of the Second Armored Division. The Major succeeds Lt. Col. Arthur Hogan who is now studying at the Naval War College in Newport, R. I.

The women members of the Camp Hood Golf club held their first social gathering 9 Aug. Fifteen members were present for golf and later a luncheon. At 9 o'clock the ladies began their round of play. After the ninth hole was finished the golfers had refreshments and played bridge and rummy until noon. A buffet luncheon was then served the ladies by the hostess of the day, Mrs. Henry W. Allard, wife of Lt. Col. Henry W. Allard.

The ladies present were Mrs. Leland S. Hobbs, wife of Maj. Gen. Leland S. Hobbs, commanding general of the 2nd Armored Division. (Please turn to Next Page)

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ROSWELL ARMY AIR FIELD
16 Aug. 1947

The Officers Wives Club held their regular business meeting on Wednesday, Mrs. K. Y. Sterner presided. Luncheon was served on the East Porch. Mrs. P. Y. Williams won the door prize of a silver and creamer set. Mrs. Robert Barrowclough held the lucky number for the floral decoration.

Bridge followed in the main lounge of the club. Prizes were won by Mrs. Deen Glenn, Mrs. Jane Bostick, and Mrs. Connie Appar. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Unger, Mrs. Almond, and Mrs. King.

SMOKY HILL AAF, KANS.
18 Aug. 1947

Smoky Hill Air Field was honored 8 Aug. by the visit of 15 Lincoln bombers of the Royal Air Force, comprising the 617th Bomb Squadron under the command of Group Captain Thomas. It was an excellent opportunity for Colonel Macdonald's 97th Group to repay the splendid hospitality extended by the R.A.F. to those crews from SHAAF who participated in the recent "Good Will" flight to England in the month of June.

The British crews were met by Col. William Lee, Commanding Officer of Smoky Hill, and welcomed by him at a short ceremony on the ramp. Immediately afterward, there followed a three day period of parties and other entertainment. The success of the visit can be measured best by the words of an R.A.F. officer who described SHAAF as "a wizard place". Since we judge this to be high praise indeed for our Smoky Hill we feel that our efforts to entertain them in a fitting manner were not in vain. When, on 11 Aug., the Lincolns one by one left the runway bound for Sacramento, they took with them the good wishes of all who had come in contact with them.

Absent from the base at this time are ten B-29 aircraft and their crews of the 342nd Squadron. The unit, commanded by Maj. Floyd E. Wikstrom, departed this station 28 July and arrived at Tokyo in time to participate in the Air Force Day celebration. They are due to complete the training flight and rejoin the 97th Group by the first of September.

The 301st Bomb Group (Very Heavy) was activated recently at SHAAF. Col. George L. Robinson has been placed in command. It is uncertain whether this organization will remain at Smoky Hill or transfer to another station.

FT. BENNING, GA.
18 Aug. 1947

To honor the officers here for the ORC indoctrination Class No. 5 and their ladies, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John W. O'Daniel entertained with a reception 11 Aug. at the Officers' Club. The guest list included the honorees, and the Division Commander 31st Division (Maj. Gen. J. C. Persons) and his staff. The officers here for the course will be graduated 23 Aug.

Participants in the Army Championship Golf Tourney were honored at a stag buffet supper 12 Aug. at the Polo Hunt Club. Arrangements for the delightful affair were in charge of the golf tournament committee headed by Lt. Col. C. R. Meyers.

Outstanding guests invited by the committee were Lt. Gen. B. E. Emmons, Army War College, Maj. Gen. John W. O'Daniel, commanding general of the Infantry center, Maj. Gen. F. L. Parks, chief of the bureau of Public Information at Washington, D. C., Maj. Gen. J. L. Williams, commanding general of the 9th Air Force at Greenville, S. C., Maj. Gen. John C. Persons, Birmingham, Ala., Brig. Gen. A. G. Paxton, Col. Jack R. Francis (ret.), Col. Edward W. McAtee, headquarters Third Army, Col. Thomas M. Belshe, headquarters AEF Washington, D. C., Col. J. Fielder, War Dept., Col. Dallas Knool, Air Materiel Command, Wright Field, O., Col. Enrique Benitez, Panama Canal Dept., Col. Stanley F. Griswald, headquarters Third Army, Col. Thomas A. Spoon, Wright Field, O., Col. S. J. Adams, Ft. Monroe, La. and Lt. Col. F. F. Flagel, Memphis General Depot.

To compliment a group of their friends Col. and Mrs. W. T. Moore entertained with a dinner party at the Officers' Club 9 Aug. The

Moore will be leaving the Post soon for Norfolk, Va. where Col. Moore will attend the Armed Forces Staff College.

FT. EUSTIS, VA.
19 Aug. 1947

The Deputy Surgeon-General of the Chinese Army, Maj. Gen. Le-Kai Chen, and his Staff visited here 12 Aug. to observe methods used by our post-war Army Medical Department in the care and handling of patients. General Chen's Staff was escorted by Lt. Col. S. W. Cavender, of the Medical Section, Headquarters, Army Ground Forces, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

The Chinese officials were met by a military escort which took them to Headquarters where they received an official welcome from Brig. Gen. George C. Stewart, the Commanding General of Fort Eustis. Col. G. S. Woodward, the Post Surgeon and Commanding Officer of the Station Medical Detachment at Fort Eustis, then invited the visitors to lunch at the Post Hospital's Officers Mess.

The members of the Fort Eustis Officers "Wives" Club enjoyed, at their last meeting, an interesting talk on Fine Arts given by Mr. David N. Sherman.

OKAYAMA, HONSHU, JAPAN
4 Aug. 1947

Approximately 150 guests from both the British and American Zones of Japan were entertained by the Okayama Military Government Team at a party given on 2 Aug. as a gesture of farewell and good wishes to the 263 Indian Infantry Brigade Group, whose departure from Japan is impending.

Guests of honor were Sir B. Rama Rao, Chief of India's Diplomatic Mission to Japan, and his daughter, Miss Santha Rao; Brigadier and Mrs. S. M. Shrinagash, of 268 Brigade Group; Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. C. W. Custer of the 7th U. S. Cavalry and Lt. Col. Rajinder Singh of the 7th (Indian) Light Cavalry.

Guests were received by Lt. Col. Karl L. Springer, Commanding Officer of the Okayama Military Government Team, and Mrs. Springer; Maj. and Mrs. John B. B. Truswell, Jr.; Maj. and Mrs. Ira W. Bellinger; Capt. and Mrs. Clifford E. Penrose; Capt. and Mrs. Charles D. McKenna; Capt. John T. Sessions, Jr.; 1st Lt. John E. Hillburn and Mr. Arnold B. Melhoff, War Department Civilian.

Dancing, fireworks and a gambling casino (with tokens for stakes and an auction of prizes, bid for with "winning") were offered as entertainment and typical American hotdogs and hamburgers (complete with onion, mustard, catsup, pickles and lettuce, "both"), cocktails and ice-cream as refreshments.

The dress and uniforms of the ladies and officers of the different nations and services, varying from the Indian ladies in their saris, turbaned Sikh officers and kilts Highlanders to the more prosaic dress of English, Australian, New Zealand, Indian Army and American officers, presented a colorful and cosmopolitan scene that may not soon be duplicated, but certainly will be long remembered by all those who were present.

KYOTO, JAPAN
4 Aug. 1947

At 0800 hours 30 July, the First Corps Command Post Exercise, led by Maj. Gen. R. B. Woodruff, Commanding General, began on the Honshu coast of Japan.

Corps Headquarters, situated at the Achano maneuver area, moved to the field the 29th to prepare for the exercise that began the next morning.

Corps units made contact with the mythical enemy the morning of 30 July and the exercise began. During the day the enemy enlarged and built-up their three beachheads. Two were in the 25th Division's area and the third and largest was in the 24th Division zone of responsibility. One main road artery was knocked out by "enemy" aircraft due to incessant bombing. The 25th Division bottled both landings in their sector and swung around to help the 24th. After this drive was finally stopped and surrounded units of the 24th rescued, the Corps immediately began preparations to organize and launch a counter-attack.

After the cessation of hostilities on the afternoon of the 31st, a critique was held and problems of the various sections discussed.

WALTER REED GENERAL HOSPITAL
D. C.
19 Aug. 1947

Lt. Col. Kermit H. Anderson, Medical Corps, of Sumrall, Miss., has recently become a member of the staff at Walter Reed General Hospital. He has the assistant residency in obstetrics and gynecology.

Maj. J. Sidney Rice, Medical Corps, has recently been assigned as Assistant Resident in Dermatology at Walter Reed General Hospital. His previous assignment was Post Surgeon of the 779th Staging Area in Bremerhaven, Germany. Major Rice and his wife, the former Miss Sara A. Hatcher of Mingo Junction, Ohio, have just returned from Germany. With their two children, Major and Mrs. Rice will make their home in Washington.

Sports Front

Capt. Frederick G. Moseley of the 2nd Air Transport Group, Fairfield, Calif., captured the finals of the first annual all-Army golf tournament by turning back Lt. Joe Worthington, Brooks Field, Texas, 2 and 1. The tournament took place from 12 to 17 August on the Ft. Benning Officers' Club course.

Lt. Gen. Alvan C. Gillem, Jr., Commanding General of the Third Army and official host for the tournament, awarded trophies to Capt. Moseley and the various other winners at appropriate ceremonies following the event. A large gallery followed the finalists during the last day's play and witnessed the subsequent presentation of trophies.

Capt. Moseley had set the course on fire in the qualifying rounds as he shot a four-under-par 140 to become the tournament's medalist. The victor is a well-known tournament golfer, being the holder of the Northern California Amateur championship, the Valjejo (Calif.) Pro-Amateur crown, and the Air Transport Command Championship.

Moseley had to come from behind after Worthington had taken a 1-up lead on the 27th hole. Sub-par golf on the final nine, while Worthington was two over the magic figures, turned the trick for the winner.

Both golfers were bothered by soggy fairways and heavy greens, the result of drenching rains which fell throughout most of the tournament.

Lt. Worthington, a dark horse, was forced to a sudden-death playoff before he could make the championship flight. From there he fought his way to the finals by winning three matches in a row that required extra holes. Capt. Moseley, meanwhile, finished all his matches in the regulation distance.

Play in the championship match:

Morning Round			
Par Out	441	435	345-36
Moseley Out	444	445	235-37
Worthington Out ..	445	534	355-38
Par In	451	344	345-36-72
Moseley In	554	253	445-36-73
Worthington In ..	444	344	430-36-74
Afternoon Round			
Par Out	444	435	345-36
Moseley Out	445	435	345-37
Worthington Out ..	444	445	344-36
Par In	451	344	345-36-72
Moseley In	451	343	34-
Worthington In ..	454	444	44-

In the Seniors' Championship Flight, bringing together officers and men over 50 years of age, Col. Fay Ross of Ft. Benning defeated Col. Thomas M. Belshe of the Army Air Forces, Washington, D. C., 3 and 2.

The Air Transport Command 4-man team, headed by Moseley, turned in the lowest total aggregate score among 32 competing teams and won the General Malin Craig Perpetual Trophy, which will be donated by Col. Malin Craig in memory of his father. This trophy, which has not yet been completed, will remain in the possession of the winning team's installation until the playing of the Army-Wide Golf Tournament next year. A permanent trophy was presented to the team and individual trophies to each member by General Gillem.

Four of the 32 teams were composed exclusively of enlisted men, and the team traveling the greatest distance to enter the competition was made up of enlisted men from Korea and Japan.

Other results in the finals of the 11 regular flights were:

First Flight: S-Sgt. Roy C. Schneider, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, defeated S-Sgt. Joe B. Torres, Camp Cooke, Calif., 4 and 3.

Second Flight: Col. James W. Wilson, Maxwell Field, Ala., defeated Pfc. John Maloney, Ft. Dix, N. J., 4 and 3.

Third Flight: S-Sgt. Harold S. Cleghorn, Maxwell Field, Ala., defeated S-Sgt. Richard W. Taylor, Jr., Hamilton Field, Calif., 3 and 2.

Fourth Flight: Lt. Col. Robert C. Hunter, Jr., Ft. Bragg, N. C., defeated Pfc. William C. Henry, Jr., of Eastman, Georgia, 3 and 2.

Fifth Flight: S-Sgt. Raymond N. Hoskins, Keeler Field, Miss., defeated Capt. Harold D. Littlejohn, Williams Field, Arizona, 1 up.

Sixth Flight: S-Sgt. Chester E. Sealey, Craig Field, Ala., defeated Capt. William J. Brandler, Battle Creek, Mich., 1 up in 19 holes.

Seventh Flight: Maj. Gen. George H. Decker, Ft. Shafter, Honolulu, T. H., defeated T-Sgt. Ralph A. Mantor, Fairfield Airbase, Calif., 3 and 2.

Eighth Flight: Maj. Joel P. Holcomb, Ft. Knox, Ky., defeated Capt. Herb M. Felger, 7th Air Force, Hawaii, 1 up in 19 holes.

Ninth Flight: Lt. Col. John F. Day, Jr., Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, defeated S-Sgt. Anthony Arch, Selfridge Field, Mich., 3 and 2.

Tenth Flight: Sgt. Carl E. Andrews, Fairmont, W. Va., and Selfridge Field, Mich., defeated S-Sgt. James K. May of Kelly Field, Tex., 2 up.

Eleventh Flight: Capt. James L. Miller, Montgomery, Ala., and the Ground General School, Ft. Riley, Kansas, defeated T-Sgt. Frank J. Brown of Losey Field, Puerto Rico.

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ADLER—Born at St. Joseph's Maternity Hospital, Houston, Tex., 12 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Vernon T. Adler, inf., a daughter, Dorothy Diane.

ALLEN—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. Robert Allen, Fort Lewis, a daughter.

ANDERSON—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 3 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur L. Anderson, AC, a son.

ANDREW—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Knox, Ky., 3 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. George S. Andrew, Jr., Cav., USA, UMT, Ft. Knox, Ky., a daughter, Anne Elaine; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. George S. Andrew, USA-Ret.

BAINES—Born at the Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I., 6 Aug. 1947, to CPHM and Mrs. Wallace Baines, a daughter, Linda Ann.

BETHARD—Born at the Tri-State Hospital, Shreveport, La., 14 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Alvin J. Bethard, inf., a son, Alvin Young.

BLACK—Born at the Aeronautical Central Hospital, Fort 5, Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Allan A. Black, FA, USA, U. S. Army Section-Ground, Joint Brazil-United States Military Commission, Ministerio da Guerra, Rio de Janeiro, a son.

BOND—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 10 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. John R. P. Bond, USA, a daughter, Mary Ellen. Capt. Bond is the assistant PMS & T officer at North Carolina State College.

BREMER—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 3 Aug. 1947, to Lt. and Mrs. James Robert Bremer, USN, a daughter, Nancy Lorraine.

BYERTS—Born at Orange Memorial Hospital, Orange, N. J., 10 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. William Edward Byerts, Jr., AC, a daughter, Jane Bell.

CAMPBELL—Born in Mercy Hospital, Toledo, Ohio, 3 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. John W. Campbell, Ord Dept., a son, John Wellington, Jr.

CANTRELL—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kans., 8 Aug. 1947, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Hugh A. Cantrell, a son, Hugh Allen, Jr.

CARTER—Born at Lawrence and Memorial Hospital, New London, Conn., 15 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. George E. Carter, TC, USA, Fort H. G. Wright, N. Y., a son, Thomas Edward.

CARTER—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 4 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Jerome L. Carter, AC, a son.

CHANDLER—Born at 183d General Hospital, Alaska, 10 July 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John A. Chandler, a daughter, Jacquelyn A.

COCHRAN—Born at Station Hospital No. 1, Fort Bragg, N. C., 13 Aug. 1947, to 2d Lt. and Mrs. Alexander T. Cochran (USMA '46), a daughter Mariellen; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. John H. Cochran USA-Ret. (USMA '15) and of Col. and Mrs. Arthur D. Elliot, Ord.

COX—Born at University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, 16 Aug. 1947, to Col. and Mrs. Charles H. Cox, a son.

CROSS—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert Cross, McChord Field, a son.

CUTHBERTSON—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 16 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Curtis L. Cuthbertson, 2nd Det., a daughter.

DAMMOND—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 12 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Milton H. Dammond, 960th Field Artillery Battalion, a daughter.

DAUSTER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 6 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Ralph O. Dauster, Gunners Department, a son.

DAVIES—Born at U. S. Marine Hospital, Seattle, 7 Aug. 1947, to Lt. and Mrs. David J. Davies, a son, David John.

DAVIS—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Enoch Davis, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., a daughter.

DEETS—Born at Station Hospital, Maxwell Field, Ala., 26 July 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Jack L. Deets, a daughter, Jacqueline Ann.

DICE—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Texas 16 Aug. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. John B. F. Dice, AC, a son, Joseph Spratley.

DICKINSEN—Born at 170th Station Hospital, Adak, Alaska, 22 July 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. George Dickinson, a daughter, Beverly Jean.

EBERT—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 13 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Marvin J. Ebert, 53rd Infantry, a son.

ELLISH—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kans., 14 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. John Ellish, a son, Richard John.

ELM—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Rolling Field, D. C. 5 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur R. Elm, AC, a son.

ERNEST—Born at Elizabeth Buxton Hospital, Newport News, Va. 28 July 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. James G. Ernest of Lewistown, Pa., a daughter, Carol Wyn.

FERNANE—Born at U. S. Marine Hospital, New Orleans, 12 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Edmund J. Fernane, AC, a son, Edmund James, Jr.

FULLER—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Richard Fuller, McChord Field, a son.

GREASLEY—Born at Alexandria Hospital, Alexandria, Va., 14 Aug. 1947, to Col. and Mrs. Philip H. Greasley, GSC, a daughter, Elizabeth Vaughn.

HAFFING—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. Edward Haffing, Geiger Field, a son.

HAGERTY—Born 17 Aug. 1947, to Lt. Comdr. W. Jerome Hagerty and Mrs. Hagerty of Fairlington, Va., a daughter.

HAHN—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kans., 7 Aug. 1947, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Roland P. Hahn, a son, Larry Thomas.

HAUGHT—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 13 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Orville R. Haught, 40th ASU Enl. Det., a daughter.

HEDGPETH—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 7 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Robert E. Hedgpeth, 53rd Infantry Battalion, a son.

HITCHCOCK—Born at Deaconess Hospital, Grand Forks, N. Dak., 10 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Raymond H. Hitchcock, USA, a son, Raymond Roy.

HORNER—Born at Norfolk General Hospital, Norfolk, Va., 14 Aug. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Samuel W. Horner, II, a daughter, Margo Elizabeth.

JAKOSH—Born at Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga., 16 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Jakosh, a son, Charles, Jr.

JAMES—Born at 183d General Hospital, Alaska, 18 July 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. William R. James, a daughter, Melodie Ann.

JARRETT—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 11 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. John A. Jarrett, Jr., Second Detachment, a son.

JOHNSON—Born at the Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I., 5 Aug. 1947, to Ens. and Mrs. Allen R. Johnson, a son, Erik Richard.

JOHNSON—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. George Johnson, McChord Field, a daughter.

JONES—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Kilmer, N. J., 10 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur Jones, a daughter, Constance Janet.

KING—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 29 July 1947, to Lt. (jg) and Mrs. John Edward King, USN, a son, John Dee.

KNAPP—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Rolling Field, D. C., 7 Aug. 1947, to Col. and Mrs. James B. Knapp, AC, a daughter.

KNIGHT—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Knight, McChord Field, a son.

LARSON—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Francis E. Warren, Cheyenne, Wyo., 8 Aug. 1947, to Lt. and Mrs. Oliver B. Larson, a son, Ronald Michael.

LAWSON—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kans., 14 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Paul S. Lawson, a daughter, Linda Ann.

LITTLE—Born at Mount Holly, N. J., 12 July 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. James Little, twin sons.

LOWER—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Quantico, Va., 6 Aug. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. R. E. Lower, a daughter.

MARTIN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 14 Aug. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Alfred Martin, Inf., USA, a son, William Talliferro.

MARTIN—Born at Riverside Hospital, 16 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Charles H. Martin, Hq AAF, Langley Field, Va., a daughter, Marilyn Jane.

McMURPHY—Born at 183d General Hospital, Alaska, 27 July 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Harrington E. McMurphy, a daughter, Diane Louise.

MONROE—Born at St. Francis Hospital, San Francisco, 3 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Stephen C. Monroe, Presidio of San Francisco, a son, Stephen.

MORRIS—Born at 183d General Hospital, Alaska, 9 July 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Julian B. Morris, a son, James Lester.

NECKLIN—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 15 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Bryan G. Necklin, Second Detachment, a son.

NEFF—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. William Neff, McChord Field, a son.

NEUBARTH—Born at Tyndall Field Base Hospital, Fla., 9 Aug. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Paul R. Neubarth, a daughter, Ricky Jean.

NOLTE—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Nolte, McChord Field, a son.

O'CALLAGHAN—Born at Fort George G. Meade, Md., 15 July 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. James P. O'Callaghan, Jr., a son James Patterson, III.

OHLEN—Born at Fort Baker Station Hospital, Fort Baker, Calif., 3 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Henry Ohlsen, Presidio of San Francisco, a son, Mark Steven.

OLSON—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Quantico, Va., 6 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. L. E. Olson, a son.

O'NEIL—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 7 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Richard F. O'Neil, AC, a son.

OTTINGER—Born at Elizabeth Ruxton Hospital, Newport News, Va., recently, to Maj. and Mrs. Charles F. Ottinger, CAC, Fort Monroe, a son, Steven Frederick.

PARKER—Born at the University Hospital, Ann Arbor, Mich., 28 July 1947, to Dr. and Mrs. William S. Parker, twin daughters, Catherine Anne and Susan Mae; granddaughters of Col. and Mrs. Nelson A. Myrl, MC, I SA, and nieces of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. G. H. Hedrick, Jr., USN.

PENNY—Born at AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 5 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Roger Q. Penny, AC, a son.

PETERSON—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Capt. and Mrs. Eugene Peterson, Fort Lewis, a son.

POWELL—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Quantico, Va., 9 Aug. 1947, to CPhM and Mrs. F. L. Powell, a daughter.

PRITCHETT—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 5 Aug. 1947, to Lt. (jg) and Mrs. Glenn Ferris Pritchett, USN, a son, Richard Gregory.

PUTMAN—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. Charles Putman, McChord Field, a son.

RAMSEY—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. William Ramsey, Fort Churchill, a daughter.

REYNOLDS—Born at McCormack General Hospital, Pasadena, Calif., 18 July 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Eugene J. Reynolds, Inf., a daughter, Patricia Ann.

REYNOLDS—Born at Station Hospital, West Point, N. Y., 29 June 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Joe Reynolds, a daughter, Susan Lee.

RUCKHABER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kans., 9 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles W. Ruckhaber, a son, Jerry Wayne.

SANFORD—Born at Saint Joseph Hospital, Phoenix, Ariz., 2 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. James B. Sanford, a daughter, Sharon Lee.

SCOTT—Born at St. Francis Hospital, Colorado Springs, Colo., 14 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Richard E. Scott, a daughter, Virginia Lee.

SMITH—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 31 July 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Chester Arthur Smith, a daughter, Sharon Anne.

SNYDER—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 3 Aug. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Arthur Leonard Snyder, USMC, a son, James Peters.

STACEY—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Kilmer, N. J., 10 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Edward V. Stacey, a daughter, Rhonda May.

STEIN—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. Lewis Stein, Fort Lewis, a son.

STOUT—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Lawrence Stout, Fort Lewis, a son.

TERRY—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Benning, Ga., 16 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. James K. Terry, Inf., a daughter, Susan Preston.

THROOP—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 4 Aug. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Verum Darwin Throop, a son, Verum Darwin.

TRUELOVE—Born at Fort Baker Station Hospital, Fort Baker, Calif., 7 Aug. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Dennis K. Truelove, Fort Winfield Scott, Calif., a son, Frank Dennis.

TUCKER—Born at Aurora, Ill., 2 Aug. 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Heiden S. Tucker, a daughter, Judith Terry; granddaughter of Col. Paul W. Gibson, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Gibson, Route 1, Batavia, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tucker, Dayton, Ohio.

WACHENDORF—Born at Ames, Iowa, 2 Aug. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Miles L. Wachendorf, CE, a daughter, Karen.

WACKER—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to T. Sgt. and

Mrs. Edmund Wacker, Fort Lewis, a daughter.

WALKER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 10 Aug. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Louis J. Walker, 4011th Medical Detachment, a son.

WARFIELD—Born at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., 14 Aug. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Benjamin M. Warfield, JAGD, USA, a daughter, Laurel Anne; granddaughter of Maj. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Warfield, USA-Ret., Santa Monica, Calif. The mother is the former Capt. Lucille M. Hug, ANC.

WEBER—Born at 183d General Hospital, Alaska, 9 July 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Melvin C. Weber, a son, Larry Francis.

WESTON—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Lt. and Mrs. Paul Weston, Fort Lewis, a son.

WHITMAN—Born at Wright Field, Ohio, 13 June 1947, to Lt. and Mrs. Clyde M. Whitman, Patterson Field, Ohio, a son, Robert Daniel.

WIGGINS—Born at Fort Baker Station Hospital, Fort Baker, Calif., 2 Aug. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. D. E. Wiggins, Fairfield Army Base, Calif., a son.

WILSON—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 7 Aug. 1947, to CWO and Mrs. Frederick Wilson, AG Section, TAG, a son.

WOODS—Born at Madigan General Hospital, Tacoma, Wash., recently, to Capt. and Mrs. Leland Woods, Fort Lewis, a son.

ZECCA—Born at Woking Maternity Home, England, 24 July 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Mario J. Zecca, a daughter, Janet Elaine. Major Zecca is attending the British Staff College, Camberley.

Married

ALLEN-BIDES—Married in McCaysville Baptist Church, 10 Aug. 1947, Miss Venita Otella Bides to Capt. Joseph B. Allen, Quartermaster Officer at Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga.

ANNUNZIATO-TEICHMANN—Married in Grace Lutheran Church, Hartford, Conn., Miss Ruth Teichmann, to Lt. David Annunziato, (MC) USN.

BRANSON-CROWLEY—Married at the Roman Catholic Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, New York, 16 Aug. 1947, Miss Florence Joan Crowley, to James Taylor Branson, son of Capt. Taylor Branson, USMC (Ret.), and Mrs. Branson of Washington.

BRAXTON-COE—Married at the Nagano Episcopal Church of Nagano City Nagano Prefecture, Japan, recently, Miss Bette Coe, to Lt. Norton Orman Braxton.

DAWSON-WILLS—Married in the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., 3 Aug. 1947, Miss Allison F. Wills, Dumfries, Scotland to M. Sgt. Everett M. Dawson, AC, San Francisco.

deCAMP-BICK—Married in the Cadet Chapel, West Point, N. Y., 21 Aug. 1947, Mrs. Caroline Tausen Bick, to Capt. John Taylor deCamp, jr., USA (USMA '43), son of Col. J. T. deCamp, USA, and Mrs. deCamp and grandson of Col. W. B. Meister, USA-Ret., of Honolulu, T. H.

DICKERSON-DE CAMPOSTELLATO—V Married at St. Paul, Minn., 1 Aug. 1947, Baroness Maria Ins de Pascuali di Campostellato di Calliano, Italy and Vienna, Austria to Maj. John Osburn Dickerson, USA, (USMA '30).

DISE-DOYLE—Married in the Antioch M. E. Church, Princess Anne, Md., 13 Aug. 1947, Miss Doris Marie Doyle, step-daughter of M. Sgt. O. J. Haskins, to Malcolm L. Dise, Mr. Dise spent 22 months in the E. T. O. as a member of the Anti-Tank Co., 104th Infantry, 26th "Yankee" Division.

DOANE-WEAR—Married in the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, 3 Aug. 1947, Miss Jane Wear to Maj. Leslie O. Doane, CAC, Fort Scott, Calif.

DOHERTY-ZIENOWICZ—Married in the rectory of Our Lady of Lourdes church, Bethesda, Md., 13 Aug. 1947, Mrs. Dorothy Huff Zienowicz, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Sargent Prentiss Huff, to Mr. William T. Doherty, jr.

EARNEST-MAULDIN—Married at Bryan, Tex., 28 July 1947, Miss Anna Marie Mauldin, to Maj. Clyde T. Earnest, USA (USMA '43).

GALBRAITH-SPRUNG—Married at the Naval Communications Chapel, Washington, D. C., 16 Aug. 1947, Miss Mary Irene Sprung, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Emmett Sprung of Chevy Chase, Md., to William Hine Galbraith, jr., son of Capt. W. H. Galbraith, of San Diego, Calif.

GILARDI-COE—Married in Kussnacht, Switzerland, recently, Mrs. Virginia McMaster Coe, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Lester B. McMaster of Crystal River, Fla., to Albert J. Gilardi, Col., ORC, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilardi of Santa Rosa, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Gilardi are at home at the Muller Hotel, Schaffhausen, Switzerland.

HARMON-PETERS—Married at the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, 2 Aug. 1947, Miss Rowenah M. Peters and Col. Kenneth

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neth B. Harmon, Ord., Ret. 2134 Green Street, San Francisco.

HEREFORD-BROWN — Married in St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, Washington, D. C., 16 Aug. 1947. Miss Nancy Kent Brown, daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Philip E. Brown, of Washington and currently of the Philippines, to Mr. Joe Cabell Hereford.

HULLINGHORST-IVERSON — Married at the Post Chapel, Presidio of San Francisco, 1 Aug. 1947. Lt. Jean A. Iverson, MDD, Letterman General Hospital, Calif., to Lt. Col. Robert L. Hullinghorst, MC, also of Letterman General Hospital.

LOCKHART-MANN — Married in the First Presbyterian Church, Bloomfield, N. J., 18 Aug. 1947. Miss Holly Mann, to Lt. Comdr. Harold William Lockhart, USN.

MATHER-VOORHEES — Married in the Prospect Street Presbyterian Church, Trenton, N. J., 14 Aug. 1947. Miss Mary Martha Voorhees, to Ens. Howard Andrew Mather, USN (USNA '46).

MAY-PRICKETT — Married in Notre Dame du Sablon, Brussels, Belgium, 15 Aug. 1947. Miss Elise De B. Prickett, to Lieut. (Jg) Robert O. May, (MC) USN.

MICHEL-GARSON — Married in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, El Paso, Tex., 16 Aug. 1947. Capt. Martha Agnes Garson, ANC, to Joseph Michael Michel.

MORGAN-LITTLE — Married at All Saints' Episcopal Church, Long Beach, Calif., 27 July 1947. Miss Joyce Corinne Little, daughter of Capt. Marion N. Little, USN, and Mrs. Little, to Maj. William Duane Morgan, USMC.

MORLEY-LEWIS — Married in the Hamline Methodist Church, Washington, D. C., 15 Aug. 1947. Miss Virginia Clair Lewis, to Mr. John Gordon Morley, son of Col. H. L. C. Morley of Fairlington and Mrs. George D. See of Washington.

NEIGHBORS-BURKE — Married at the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. D. Troy Hall, Montgomery, Ala., 14 Aug. 1947. Miss Kathleen Snyder Burke, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Rush Pearson Burke of Montgomery to Capt. Robert Otis Neighbors, AC, USA.

NUTTER-KENNEDY — Married in Christ Church, Grasse Point, Mich., 15 Aug. 1947. Miss Mary Jane Kennedy, to Mr. Russell Howard Nutter, son of Mrs. Augustin G. Nutter and the late Major Nutter.

REIMEL-KINGMAN — Married at the bride's home, Arlington, Va., 19 Aug. 1947. Mrs. Matthew Henry Kingman to Col. Stewart Elvin Reimel, USA-Ret.

RICHARDSON-KECK — Married at the Washington Cathedral, Washington, D. C., 1 Aug. 1947. Miss Florence Wilma Keck to Maj. Joseph M. Richardson, Ord, Dept.

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RUSSELL-McGOWAN — Married at Everett Bridge, near Suffolk, Va., 1 Aug. 1947. Miss Margaret Le Nell McGowan, to Maj. Joseph Decatur Russell.

STEEN-BROOKS — Married in Elkton, Md., 24 Aug. 1947. Mrs. Marion Brooks daughter of Col. and Mrs. Howard Stout Nelson of Darien, Conn., to Mr. Gunnar Steen, Chief Specialist, USNR.

STODDARD-FILLMORE — Married in the First Congregational Church, Ellsworth, Me., 16 Aug. 1947. Miss Rose Fillmore, to Howland Bradford Stoddard, son of Col. and Mrs. Francis R. Stoddard of New York and Cold Spring Harbor, L. I.

TYLER-POSTLES — Married in St. John's Church, Washington, D. C., 15 Aug. 1947. Miss Beverly Braxton Postles, daughter of Comdr. Hugh Gwynn Postles, USNR, and Mrs. Postles of Arlington, to Mr. William Allen Tyler, Jr.

WESTFALL-CALLAHAN — Married in St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Pocomoke City, Md., 12 Aug. 1947. Ruth Parks Callahan, to Robert R. Westfall, son of Lt. Col. Chester C. Westfall, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Westfall of Snow Hill, Md.

WHITE-MILLER — Married in the First Presbyterian Church, Norfolk, Va., 15 Aug. 1947. Miss Frances Cummock Miller, to Lt. Comdr. John Edward White, Jr., USN.

Died

ADAMS — Died in Germany, 9 Aug. 1947, 1st Lt. Wendell W. Adams, AC.

AKINS — Died at Langley Field, Va., 8 Aug. 1947. Capt. William T. Akins, AC.

ARCHER — Died at his home, Winter Park, Fla., 16 Aug. 1947. Maj. Herman Neville Archer, USA-Ret.

BARROLL — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 17 Aug. 1947. Col. Morris Keene Barroll, USA-Ret. (USMA '89), father of Col. Morris K. Barroll, Jr., of Springfield Armory, Springfield, Mass. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

BAYLEY — Died at Brooklyn Naval Hospital, N. Y., 19 Aug. 1947. Annette W. Bayley, widow of Rear Admiral Warner W. Bayley, mother of Comdr. Warner W. Bayley, USN-Ret., of Derby, Conn. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

BOTTOM — Died at Richmond Hospital, Richmond, Va., 19 Aug. 1947. Davis Gardner Bottom, brother of Comdr. Raymond B. Bottom, and Linwood H. Bottom of Newport News, Col. Earle D. Bottom of Dallas, and Garland P. Bottom, Metuchen, N. J.

BURLEIGH — Died in the Navy Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., 13 Aug. 1947. Lt. Comdr. William Porter Burleigh, wartime commander of the Navy School at the University of Notre Dame.

COMBS — Died at the Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., 14 June 1947. Lt. (Jg) James R. Combs, USN (Ret.).

COMEAUX — Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 7 Aug. 1947. Capt. James A. Comeaux, MC.

CUTLER — Died in Boston, Mass., recently. Brig. Gen. Elliott C. Cutler, MC, USA. Burial in Brookline, Mass.

DALE — Died at the Naval Hospital, San Diego, 12 July 1947. James A. Dale, CWT, USN (Ret.).

DAVIS — Died at Anit Field, Wash., 22 July 1947. Lt. William H. Davis, USN.

DUFFALO — Died at Oakland, Calif., 6 July 1947. Lt. Comdr. John A. Duffalo, Jr., (MC) USN.

EDWARDS — Died at her home, Butler, Ga., 2 Aug. 1947. Mrs. W. W. Edwards, mother of Mrs. Lowe, wife of Brig. Gen. T. M. Lowe, USA.

ELDRIDGE — Died at Fort Monroe, Va., 15 Aug. 1947. Lt. Houston Eldridge, USN (Ret.). Services at Fort Monroe, 18 Aug. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery, 19 Aug.

FLENNIKEN — Died in Japan, 10 Aug. 1947. Capt. John C. Fleniken.

FEER — Died in Munich, Germany, 1 July 1947. Eleanor Fowke Feer, wife of 1st Lt. Romeo H. Feer, Jr., and mother of Pamela Fowke Feer.

GALLMEIER — Died at Honshu, Japan, 13 Aug. 1947. Capt. Charles F. Gallmeier, AC.

HARBORD — Died at his home, Rye, N. Y., 20 Aug. 1947. Lt. Gen. James G. Harbord, USA-Ret., Chief of Staff of the AEF in World War I.

HARTE — Died at his home, Redding, Conn., 15 Aug. 1947. Lt. Comdr. Richard T. Harte, USN (Ret.). He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Renne Selegman Harte.

HESS — Died 12 Aug. 1947. Maj. Frank W. Hess, USA. Services and interment, Palo Alto, Calif.

HOWARD — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 17 Aug. 1947. Isabel C. Howard, mother of Col. Thomas R. Howard.

JACOBY — Died at the Fifth Service Depot, Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, 9 July 1947. M. Sgt. Henry A. Jacoby, USMC.

JENSEN — Died at Whidbey Island, Wash., 22 July 1947. O. N. Jensen, ACMM, USN.

LAFFERTY — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 10 July 1947. WO Thomas Lafferty, Ret.

LONG — Died at her home, San Diego, Calif., 28 July 1947. Gertrude Adele Long, wife of Comdr. Thomas A. Long, SC, USN. Survivors are her husband, two sons, Thomas A., Jr., and Michael D., a daughter, Patricia Adele, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doyle.

MILLER — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 Aug. 1947. Lt. Col. Rufus O. Miller, USA. Services and interment Gastonia, N. C.

MONAHAN — Drowned in Lewis Lake, Yellowstone National Park, Wyo., 3 Aug. 1947. Lt. Col. J. S. Monahan, USMC (Ret.).

MOODY — Died at his home, Shrewsbury, Vt., 10 Aug. 1947. Dr. Paul H. Moody, chief of chaplains of the AEF in World War I.

PALMER — Died at Menlo Park, Calif., 13 July 1947. Lt. Col. Leroy H. Palmer, Ret.

PRETTYMAN — Died at Hokkaido, Japan, 9 Aug. 1947. 1st Lt. Roy H. Prettyman, Jr., AC.

RAFFERTY — Died in Brandon, Vt., 14 Aug. 1947. Col. John White Rafferty, FA, USA-Ret. (USMA '16). He is survived by his stepfather and mother, Col. and Mrs. Eugene R. Householder.

RICHERT — Died at Shreveport, La., 12 Aug. 1947. Capt. Donald J. Richert, AC.

SCHWARTZ — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 Aug. 1947. Maj. John Sanders Schwartz, ChC, USA. Burial in Mount Olive Cemetery, Frederick, Md.

SMARTT — Died at Rahway, N. J., 29 July 1947. Arthur F. Smartt, CMM, USN.

SMILEY — Died at his home, Eureka Springs, Ark., 3 Aug. 1947. Col. Samuel Ewing Smiley, USA-Ret. (USMA '85). Interment at Fayetteville, Ark.

SMITH — Died at his home, Washington, D. C., 16 Aug. 1947. 1st Lt. Daniel Thomas Smith, USA-Ret., former sergeant major at the Old Soldier's Home, Washington. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

SPEIGHT — Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 4 Aug. 1947. Capt. Clyde A. Speight, Ret.

STONE — Died at Fargo, S. Dak., 9 July 1947. Lt. (Jg) Jack M. Stone, USNR.

WALLACE — Died at Lexington, Ky., 6 Aug. 1947. Maj. Jay F. Wallace, Jr., MC.

WEIKEL — Died at Honshu, Japan, 8 Aug. 1947. Lt. Col. John R. Welkel, Inf.

WHITEHEAD — Died at Winchester, Ky., 5 Aug. 1947. Brig. Gen. Henry C. Whitehead, Ret.

WILLIAMSON — Died at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, 5 Aug. 1947. 1st Lt. Earland M. Williamson, AC.

WYNDHAM — Died at Honshu, Japan, 7 Aug. 1947. CWO Charles H. Wyndham, Jr., AC, USA, brother of S. Sgt. John Henry Wyndham.

YOE — Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 8 Aug. 1947. Capt. John H. Yoe, CAC.

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An Editorial

WITH his place secure in military fame, Lt. Gen. James G. Harbord, USA-Ret., passed into history 20 Aug.

at his home in Rye, N. Y. His was a career notable for high distinction in peace time Army service, in warfare, and, after his retirement, in business and civic activities.

Determined upon a military career and lacking the political pull necessary in the days of his youth to obtain an appointment to West Point, this graduate of the Kansas state Agricultural college enlisted in the Fourth Infantry. From the rank of private he steadily advanced through non-commissioned to commissioned grades, and ultimately to command of a Brigade, the command of a Division, Chief of staff, and commanding officer of the Services of Supply of the largest Army ever formed up to World War I.

When General John J. Pershing was preparing to go to France he examined the records of officers and selected Major Harbord as peculiarly fitted to assist him in the organization and direction of the American Expeditionary Force. It was a task of organization and of training of men who had never seen a rifle that was imposed upon General Pershing as his primary duty, and in his performance he relied heavily upon General Harbord. When the opportunity arose and General Pershing felt that he could give General Harbord a command he assigned him to the Fourth Marine Brigade which under his direction stopped the Germans at Belleau Wood.

Later General Harbord was assigned to command the Second Division in the Soissons offensive, the turning point of the war. In order to increase the efficiency of supply, General Harbord much to his regret and reluctance was withdrawn from the front and placed in charge of the Services of Supply. Only General Pershing and the immediate few of his subordinates appreciate how much the success of the American Army depended upon the work of General Harbord. In this service, his great energy, resourcefulness and tact, exercised under many difficulties, kept moving to the front a continuous flood of munitions and supplies without which no Army can live or fight. In addition to his SOS duties the General was continued as one of the high advisors of General Pershing. As an indication of the relations, when the latter was brought home to serve as Chief of Staff he had the President appoint General Harbord as his deputy.

The superb work in supply which General Harbord did in France had attracted the attention of the business world and he was selected for the executive position of President of the Radio Corporation of America and with the cooperation of Mr. Owen D. Young and Brig. Gen. David Sarnoff this infant has become a giant in a great and new industry. After serving for some years as President of RCA he was made chairman of the board, in which position he served actively until relieved at his own request only a few weeks ago, at which time, however, he was prevailed upon to accept the position of Honorary Chairman.

General Harbord was a brilliant soldier, an outstanding battle leader, an able executive, an inspirer of loyalty which ran down as well as up, as the enlisted men under his command fully realize, and a friend who never forgot that it is better to give than receive. He belonged to an era in which the United States was finding its military spirit and his use of them largely contributed to the development and employment of the Army which brought us victory in 1918.

General Pershing once said of him that he was the finest officer he knew. And General Pershing now sums up this man of genius as a Great American.

Lt. Gen. Harbord

Funeral services for General Harbord were held on the morning of 22 Aug. at St. Bartholomew's Protestant Episcopal Church in New York City. At 3:15 P. M. the same day military rites were held at Fort Myer Chapel, Va., with burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

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The caisson bearing the casket was accompanied by an Army escort and a platoon of United States Marines. A caparisoned mount was led in the procession and the lieutenant general's 15-gun salute fired. Members of the Second Division Association, led by Ralph O. Lundgren, national president, and Robert C. Snow, national secretary-treasurer, assembled at Fort Myer Chapel to pay tribute to their former leader. With the 2nd Division group was Mrs. James Carroll Frazer, of Washington, D. C., who was made a member of the Division and awarded a medal by General Harbord for her work during and after the war, particularly her efforts in raising the funds for the purchase of Belleau Wood.

General Harbord married Emma Yeatman Overstreet 21 Jan. 1889. She died 29 May 1927. He leaves his second wife, Mrs. Anne Lee Brown Harbord, two stepchildren, Mrs. Anne Brown Whiting and Lt. Col. Lewis Brown, all of Rye, and an aunt, Mrs. Catherine Orendorf of Heyworth, Ill.

The year following his selection by General Pershing as Chief of Staff of the AEF, General Harbord, at his own request, was assigned to command the Fourth Marine Brigade. He commanded it in the Verdun sector and in the fighting in Belleau Wood and at Bouresches, during the historic stand of the 2d Division near Chateau-Thierry, which stopped the German advance on Paris. He was placed in command of the 2d Division 14 July 1918, and led it in the celebrated Soissons Offensive.

Something greater than physical courage was then asked of General Harbord. With his Division thrusting forward—with 3,000 German prisoners and sixty cannon and seven miles of German territory to its credit—the General was ordered to report to Pershing's headquarters. There, closeted alone with the Commander-in-Chief, he was asked to relinquish his command to take charge of the lagging Service of Supplies, in order to move food, clothing, ammunition and medical supplies to meet the desperate needs of the men at the front.

General Harbord's organization of the S.O.S. helped speed the A.E.F. to victory, and he remained in command of it until May, 1919, when he was re-appointed Chief of Staff. In August of that year, President Wilson named him Near East Chief of the American Military Mission to Armenia.

During his war years, promotion came fast for General Harbord. A Major attending the United States Army War College at the time of his selection as Chief of Staff of the A.E.F., he was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel before the Army reached France. Less than a year later, he was made a Brigadier General, and after his great success in the Soissons Offensive he was promoted to Major General. General Harbord received the following decorations: Distinguished Service Medal, U. S. Army; Distinguished Service Medal, U. S. Navy; Knight Commander, St. Michael and St. George, Great Britain; Commander, Legion of Honor, France; Croix de Guerre, France, with two palms; Grand Officer, Order of the Crown of Belgium; Commander, Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Italy. Also Grand Officer, Prince Danilo, Montenegro; La Solidaridad, Panama; Grand Officer, Polonia Restituta, and the Ordinance Medal of Merit for 1937, Army Ordinance Association.

Lt. (jg) Houston Eldredge, USN (Ret.)
Lt. (jg) Houston Eldredge, USN-Ret., died at Fort Monroe, Va., 15 August 1947 after many years of physical incapacity due to an accident in the service. He was 58 years of age.

His wife died several years ago and was buried in Arlington National Cemetery. Lieutenant Eldredge was buried 20 August alongside his wife. This plot has been reserved for members of the class of 1881, U. S. Naval Academy of which only two or three are alive.

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Many of this class were noted men of their day. One was Secretary of War Weeks who sleeps in Arlington alongside his classmates. Lieutenant Eldredge was named by his father, a Naval officer of the old school, in honor of his friend, General Sam Houston, the famous Texan.

Lieutenant Eldredge lived at Fort Monroe, Va., for many years and many of his friends in the Army and Navy will mourn his passing.

Brig. Gen. E. C. Cutler

Funeral services for Brig. Gen. Elliott C. Cutler, 59, one of the world's leading surgeons and a distinguished member of the Army Medical Corps, who died after a long illness in Boston, were held at Harvard Memorial Church in Cambridge 19 Aug. Burial was in Brookline, Mass.

A native of Bangor, Me., he was graduated from Harvard University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1909 and received his medical degree from the same university in 1913. Following his graduation in medicine he specialized in surgery and during World War I served with the Army Medical Corps in France with the rank of major. He was cited for his achievements in the battles of the Marne and Champagne and was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal. After World War I he became a member of the Reserve Corps.

General Cutler, who lived most of his life in Boston was Moseley professor of surgery at Harvard School of Medicine and in 1938 was awarded Honorary Doctorate by the University of Strasbourg. He was a member of surgical associations in Paris and Rome, a Fellow of the American Medical Association, and among others he was a member of the American College of Surgeons, Association of Military Surgeons, American Surgical Association, and Society of Surgeons. He was Surgeon in Chief for Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.

In World War II he was Chief Consultant in Surgery, European Theater of Operation with the rank of colonel. He was promoted to brigadier general in 1944. After returning from overseas he was retired from active service due to a physical disability. At the time of his death General Cutler was consultant to the Surgeon General and a member of the special medical advisory committee to the Secretary of War and head of Professional and Medical Services, Veterans Administration.

For his outstanding achievements in World War II he was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal in a personal presentation by the Secretary of War in Boston a few months ago.

Surviving are his wife and three sons.

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FINANCE

Financial Digest

The formation of a \$100 million company to engage in foreign petroleum operations, especially in the Middle East, has been announced by 11 independent oil operators. Known as the American Independent Oil Co., the new organization will start with paid capital of \$10 million and with an authorized capital of 1,000 shares, no par value.

According to Commerce Department reports, Britain was the only European nation increasing its buying from the United States in June. British exports totaled \$99.8 million, a five per cent rise, but United States exports to Europe as a whole dropped 16 per cent to \$516.9 million.

Foreign silver prices rose two cents an ounce at New York 20 Aug., the greatest daily increase since 11 Aug. The price of 67 3/4 cents represented a gain of five and one-half cents in ten days.

Anglo-American discussions on rewriting the \$3.75 billion loan agreement opened in Washington this week. Members of both United States and British delegations indicated to news correspondents that no new loan will be discussed at the present negotiations.

General Motors Corp. second quarter report to stockholders states that the demand for GM products continued at high levels during the second quarter. Regarding car and truck sales the report says that total sales to dealers and export shipments from United States and Canadian plants amounted to 473,805 cars and trucks for the second quarter and 924,032 for the first half of 1947. Sales of cars and trucks to dealers within the United States amounted to 417,416 and 800,437, respectively, for these periods. A financial review of the corporation shows that net sales totaled \$941,568,274 for the second quarter and \$1,746,421,483 for the first six months of 1947. Net income for the second quarter of 1947 amounted to \$81,804,815. After providing regular dividends of \$3,232,077 on the preferred stock, net income available for the common stock for the second quarter was \$78,572,738, equivalent to \$1.78 per share on the average number of shares outstanding during the period.

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MERCHANT MARINE

Merchant Marine

The U. S. Coast Guard announced this week that it will make tests on breaking ice in the Great Lakes next winter.

The Coast Guard's Testing and Development Division has set up a new project entitled "Structural Strain in Ice Breaking Vessels" to include an extensive study of the forces acting on a vessel while breaking ice, and the reactions in the hull girder of such a vessel.

The Mackinaw, the world's largest ice-breaker, and cutters of the 180-foot and 110-foot class will make the tests.

Engineering data gathered on the tests are expected to help in designing more rugged icebreaking vessels and to afford more economical construction. University of Michigan's Division of Engineering Research is being contacted to assist the Coast Guard on this project.

Determination of the physical characteristics of ice will be a by-product of the tests, from which it is hoped to find the following scientific data:

- The best hull form for breaking ice.
- The best distribution of structural material in an ice breaking vessel.
- The minimum horsepower needed to break ice of a given thickness.

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G-4 Sect. Army Ground Forces

(Following is the conclusion of the
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G-4, AGF, the first portion of which ap-
peared in the 9 Aug. issue of the ARMY
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The Air Supply Branch works very
closely with Developments Section and
with the Air Branch of G-3 Training
Division of Army Ground Forces Head-
quarters on all matters pertaining to
liaison type aircraft and related items of
Army Air Forces equipment. This in-
cludes radio controlled targets for anti-
aircraft firing. It makes allocations to
Army Ground Forces units of liaison air-
craft and helicopters and coordinates with
the Army Air Forces the supply of these
items of Army Ground Forces units. It
also acts as a records section of Army
Ground Forces Headquarters for main-
taining the current status of liaison air-
craft and helicopters within Army Ground
Forces units, in close conjunction with
the Requirements Branch, the Air Sup-
ply Section also prepares the Army
Ground Forces requirements for purposes
of budgetary plans of all Army Air
Forces equipment, both standard and
development type, which are used or
contemplated for use by Army Ground
Forces units.

The Requirements Branch is concerned
primarily with the coordination in Army
Ground Forces Headquarters of the prepa-
ration of reports or recommendations
made to the War Department and Chiefs
of Technical Services covering projected
future requirements of Army Ground
Forces units for standard and develop-
ment type items of equipment. In con-
junction with G-3 and Developments, it
is responsible for coordinating the prepa-
ration of long range over-all supply
requirements within the Army Ground
Forces Headquarters and determining the
basis of issue of newly standardized
equipment.

The remaining subdivision of G-4 Sec-
tion is the Service Division which su-
pervises the maintenance and conservation
of Army Ground Forces units and activities,
and establishes the maintenance stand-
ards for inspections. All technical and
other military publications are reviewed
in this Division to determine whether
the maintenance and conservation mat-
ters are fully covered.

The Maintenance and Conservation
Section reviews the maintenance plans
for the various civilian components of
the Army. Currently the maintenance
plan for the National Guard is being
studied and federal installations re-
quired for maintenance purposes are
recommended to the Housing and In-
stallation Division for assignment to the
National Guard.

The Inspection and Review Branch de-
velops uniform inspection procedures, de-
termines the inspection standards, re-
views, analyzes and evaluates main-
tenance inspection reports to compute the
maintenance standard; and also reviews
such publications to see that maintenance
and conservation matters are covered
properly.

At various times inspection teams are
dispatched and personnel of this branch
accompany them to installations in-
quiring into any difficulties that have
arisen which pertain to maintenance
matters or any other G-4 difficulties.

This branch has compiled in booklet
form and published for field use Standard
Procedures for Maintenance Inspections
which will insure that all inspectors have
the same basis for their maintenance in-
spections. This publication was compiled
for use of the Armies' inspectors when
making command inspections to provide
uniformity in making spot check in-
spections on serviceability of equipment,
training and ability of maintenance per-
sonnel, status of maintenance supplies
and completeness of equipment.

The Service Troops Branch has the
function of reviewing the location, assign-
ment and activities of the service units
organic or attached to the Army Ground
Forces. This branch makes recommenda-
tions on the organization and training of
all service components of the Army and
reviews all Army Ground Forces plans
to assure that proper service support is
provided.

Requirements for civilian and military
personnel to provide the necessary sta-
tion complements to support the proposed
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Guard and other civilian component
groups are also studied, reviewed and
plans formulated to furnish necessary
support.

Under the prescribed system each of the
Special Staff Sections of the Army has a
very definite role. In addition to being
the staff advisors of all technical matters
within the sphere of their primary in-
terest they command the technical troops
of their service assigned or attached to
the unit on whose staff they serve. They
are not in any sense under the complete
control of any one of the General Staff
Sections. Each one deals with G-1 on
personnel matters, with G-2 on intelli-
gence, and so on. On the other hand, they
may not operate independently. All of
their instructions to technical units un-
der their control must be in conformity
with the plans and policies of the Com-
manding General and to insure this, must
be coordinated by the General Staff. On
certain purely technical matters which
do not affect the plan or policies of the
unit they may deal directly with their
opposite number in either a higher or
lower echelon.

Within the Army Ground Forces these
principles are observed. There is a com-
plete understanding between the General
and Special Staffs as to their respective
spheres and no tendency on the part of
the Special Staff to try to by-pass the
General Staff.

The G-4 Section, Army Ground Forces,
deals directly with the War Department,
Director of Service, Supply and Pro-
curement, but with no other War Depart-
ment director. The head of each of the
subdivisions in G-4 knows personally his
opposite number in SS&P. Though no
commitments are made at that level, a
great deal of information passes back and
forth and much unnecessary paperwork
is avoided. In order to insure very close
liaison with the War Department, one
Colonel and a civilian clerk have been
left in the AGF Pentagon echelon.

In dealing with the six Armies, the
procedure is quite similar. The Army
Ground Forces policy is to insure that
War Department policies are followed
and within the framework to allow Army
Commanders the widest possible latitude
in command and operations to carry out
their missions. Their actions must be co-
ordinated to assure a uniformity of in-
terpretation of directives and of their
application.

The Technical Service Sections, Special
Staff, Army Ground Forces, have very
much the same relationship with the
Technical Services in the War Depart-
ment, and with the Armies and Boards,
as the G-4 Section has with SS&P.

Distinctive Insignia

Pending revision of AR 600-40, the
policy pertaining to distinctive insignia
has been set forth in War Department
Circular 204.

As a means of creating esprit de corps,
certain organizations designated by the
War Department, such as regiment, Air
Corps groups, and separate battalions,
have been authorized to wear distinctive
insignia.

Following is a quotation from the cir-
cular concerning the modification of the
previous prohibition on manufacture:

"a. Where approved descriptions exist and
approval has been granted on a submitted
sample, authority is granted for additional
procurement and wearing without change of
design.

"b. Where approved descriptions exist and
the manufacturing drawing has received War
Department approval, authority is granted
to submit manufacturer's samples in duplicate
for approval prior to quantity production and
wear.

"c. Where approved descriptions exist and
the manufacturing drawing has not been sub-
mitted or approved, authority is granted to
submit manufacturer's drawing for approval
prior to securing manufacturer's samples in
duplicate for final approval.

"d. All correspondence on this subject will
be submitted by the units concerned through
channels to the Heraldic Section, Office of
the Quartermaster General, Washington 25,
D. C."

1st Cavalry G-1

With the Eighth Army in Tokyo—Lt.
Col. Edwin M. Connell has been assigned
as Assistant Chief-of-Staff G-1 officer, 1st
Cavalry Division, vice Lt. Col. Lytle E.
Peterson, who has returned to the United
States for other duties.

National Guard Day

President Truman, 15 Aug., issued a proclamation naming 16 Sept. as National Guard Day, reminding the citizens of the United States that the responsibility for the National Guard rests with them.

Following is the text of the President's proclamation:

"Whereas the National Guard of the United States has been a bulwark of our military forces in struggles against foreign aggressors and the support of our people in times of domestic disaster; and

"Whereas the security of our Nation demands that the National Guard be fully manned, equipped and trained as a force immediately available in time of national danger; and

"Whereas September 16, 1947, marks the seventh anniversary of the entrance of the National Guard into the Nation's service during the emergency immediately preceding World War II:

"Now, Therefore, I, Harry S. Truman, President of the United States of America, in order that we may give special recognition to the men of the National Guard of the United States who have given their services and their lives to their country and to those who are continuing to give their services for the security of their country, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, September 16, 1947, as National Guard Day, and invite the Governors of the several States to issue proclamations for the observance of that day; and I also direct that the flag of the United States be displayed on all public buildings on that day.

"I also remind our citizens that a responsibility rests upon them for the support of the National Guard of the United States, and I therefore urge that all our citizens give their earnest attention to the units of the National Guard in their communities and assist in the organization, recruiting and development of those units in every way possible."

On 18 Aug. the President also issued the following statement in connection with the National Guard's current enlistment program:

"A strong National Guard is necessary to the security of the United States. Because of this fact, our military leaders have planned a new National Guard which will take its place in the national military establishment as a force in being, available for immediate mobilization and service.

"In the little more than a year that the States have engaged in the rebuilding of the National Guard, more than 100,000 men have been recruited. This is a remarkable achievement when it is considered that the National Guard was completely demobilized as its personnel was separated from Federal service. But it is still far short of the ultimate goal.

"Because of the importance of the National Guard to the Nation's defense, I have proclaimed September 16th as National Guard Day and directed that a nation-wide recruiting campaign be conducted to fill the ranks. September 16th marks the seventh anniversary of the entrance of the National Guard into Federal service during the emergency immediately preceding World War II.

"The campaign will be conducted from September 16 to November 16, and the National Guard enlisted man who is the champion recruiter in each State, the Territory of Hawaii, Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia, will be brought to Washington as the guest of the Secretary of War and will attend the annual Army-Navy football game in Philadelphia.

"The immediate goal of this campaign is to gain 88,888 new men in the new National Guard, or a Guardsman a minute during the two months. I want to emphasize again that this is only an immediate goal. It must be surpassed, and I am confident that it will be surpassed, to the end that the security of the United States may remain inviolate."

To Press Retirement Bill

The bill to provide retirement for Regular Army personnel in their Wartime temporary grades, as now authorized for all the other Services, and to set up a retirement system for the National Guard and Reserves, will be "one of the most important bills pending before Congress when it reconvenes," Representative Andrews (R-NY), chairman of the House Committee on Armed Services, told the House this week.

Chairman Andrews' statement was contained in a summary of his committee's work which appeared in the final issue of the Congressional Record for the first session. Mr. Andrews gave high praise to his professional staff and to the chairman and members of his 12 subcommittees who held 171 meetings during the session. Concerning the retirement bill, he said:

H. R. 2744, still pending before the House of Representatives, is another major bill which received careful examination in this committee before its report to the House. It provides a new, improved system for the elimination of inefficient officers of the Reg-

ular Army as well as for the retirement of Regular Army officers and enlisted men. Moreover, it provides, for the first time, for the retirement of officers and enlisted men of the Reserve components of all the services, thus offering substantial inducement to reserves to perform continued reserve service for at least 20 years. This legislation, if enacted, is expected to have a major effect upon the readiness of the Nation's reserves in the event of another war emergency. From this standpoint alone, aside from its effects upon the Regular Army, this will be one of the most important bills pending before the Congress when it reconvenes.

Army Orders

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Capt. J. R. Adie, Ft. Eustis, Va., to Cp Stoneman, Calif.

Capt. J. R. Donahue, Ft. Eustis, Va., to Cp Kilmer, N. J.

Capt. R. T. Grant, Jr., Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to TC Dep. Marietta, Pa.

Capt. E. H. Sonnemann, Ft. Mason, Calif., to Ft. Eustis, Va.

Capt. B. J. O'Donnell, NYPE, to QM Dep. Chicago.

Capt. J. F. Wright, Jr., Ft. Eustis, Va., to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. S. H. Ferguson, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to Cp Kilmer, N. J.

1st Lt. A. H. Nelson, Ft. Eustis, Va., to 3d Army 3540 ASU, Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. J. Hill, Cp Stoneman, Calif., to Ft. Eustis, Va.

2nd Lt. H. H. Bolz, Jr., Seattle, to USMA.

CORPS OF MILITARY POLICE

BRIG. GEN. B. M. BRYAN, PMG

Lt. Col. W. D. Veal, Atlanta, to Hq V Corps, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Maj. J. C. Reinert, Waltham, Mass., to 1232d ASU, NYC.

Capt. F. G. O'Hagan, Carlisle, Pa., to 2d Army 772d MP Bn, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

1st Lt. J. F. Carlson, Oklahoma City, to 4th Army 250th MP Co, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. L. J. Preston, Governors Isl. N. Y., to 1st Army 1300th ASU, NYPE.

1st Lt. H. P. Vailow, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE

Capt. E. S. Halbert, Cp Holabird, Md., to 2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS

COL. M. A. HALLAREN, DIRECTOR

Capt. M. D. Allen, NYC, to OC of S.

Capt. H. Bartl, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to OC of S.

Capt. N. G. Gillis, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 400th AAF BU, Wright Fld, Ohio.

Capt. V. D. Harmon, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 300th AAF BU, Greenville AAB, S. C.

Capt. N. B. Malsier, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 400th AAF BU, Wright Fld, Ohio.

Capt. C. I. Woodworth, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to Letterman GH, San Francisco.

Capt. R. E. Paul, Westover Fld, Mass., to TAG Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

Capt. L. H. Wimberly, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to McCornack GH, Pasadena, Calif.

1st Lt. L. C. Coupe, Westover Fld, Mass., to Hq, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

1st Lt. A. V. Sawyer, Boston, to OQMG.

1st Lt. E. T. Talbot, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to Oliver GH, Augusta.

SPECIAL SERVICES

BRIG. GEN. R. B. REYNOLDS, CHIEF

Capt. S. F. Kossler, Battle Creek, to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.

1st Lt. L. L. McKenzie, Jr., Westover Fld, Mass., to Vint Farms Sta, Warrenton, Va.

ALERTED FOR OVERSEAS

To FEC, Yokohama, Japan

Infantry—2nd Lt. T. L. McMinn, Jr., 2nd Lt. D. W. Adair.

To FEC, Tokyo, Japan

Signal Corps—Lt. Col. L. E. Johnson, Capt. W. McKay, Capt. J. H. Dees, 2nd Lt. C. D. Ritter.

Judge Advocate General's Dept.—Capt. T. J. Cameron.

Infantry—2nd Lt. H. K. Fukuhara.

To FEC, Korea

Finance Department—Lt. Col. W. A. Cayer, Maj. R. I. Bonnell, Maj. F. W. Jacob, Maj. P. L. Rodgers, 1st Lt. J. A. Hayes, 1st Lt. J. A. Volklinger.

Signal Corps—Capt. F. A. Quinn, 2nd Lt. R. H. Vierra, 2nd Lt. R. E. Laurencot, 2nd Lt. M. W. Hudgins.

Quartermaster Corps—2nd Lt. A. J. Hughes, 1st Lt. R. W. Ryan.

Field Artillery—Maj. C. E. Allen.

Infantry—2nd Lt. R. L. Schultz, 2nd Lt. J. E. Collins.

Adjutant General's Dept.—Col. J. W. Fraser.

To Nanking, China

Dental Corps—1st Lt. I. L. Simkins.

Transportation Corps—Lt. Col. W. T. Larkin.

Medical Corps—Lt. Col. R. L. Whitfield, Jr.

To Shanghai, China

Coast Artillery Corps—Capt. H. Galman.

To Moscow, Russia

Air Corps—Col. H. T. Muenster.

Infantry—Col. F. Kowalski, Jr.

To Marianas-Bonin Comd, Guam

Finance Department—Maj. R. D. Baker.

Cavalry—Col. A. H. Truxes.

Signal Corps—2nd Lt. A. J. Demmerle.

To Philippines, Manila

Coast Artillery Corps—Maj. N. Weltmer, Jr.

Finance Dept.—Maj. L. P. Acton, Capt. E. H. Slye, Jr.

To Okinawa

Corps of Engineers—Maj. G. R. Taylor.

To Ft. Shafter, T. H.

Quartermaster Corps—Capt. W. H. Butth.

Adjutant General's Dept.—Col. L. S. Smith.

Infantry—Lt. Col. C. E. Hutchin, Jr.

To EUCOM, Frankfurt, Germany

Signal Corps—Capt. J. D. Beatty, Capt. H. Sawyer, 2nd Lt. J. F. Findley.

Field Artillery—Col. J. A. Samouco.

Finance Department—Col. A. J. Tagliabue.

To EUCOM, Bremerhaven, Germany

Infantry—1st Lt. G. J. Oakley, 2nd Lt. F. H. Millet, 2nd Lt. C. F. Henesy, Capt. A. E. Isner,

1st Lt. J. F. Kettler, 1st Lt. C. R. Obermeyer,

Col. F. S. Mansfield, Capt. B. J. Schwank, Capt. B. C. Lewis, Col. H. W. Bolan, 2nd Lt. E. R. Stuepfli, Lt. Col. D. W. Wilson, 2nd Lt. T. Kanellis.

Field Artillery—Lt. Col. E. E. Clarke, Lt. Col. M. M. Pharr.

Coast Artillery Corps—Maj. J. J. Murphy.

Quartermaster Corps—Lt. Col. G. F. Connor,

Lt. Col. C. W. Neundorff, Lt. Col. P. H. Buckley, 1st Lt. K. W. Alexander, Capt. G. C. Brown, Lt. Col. L. Wilkie, 1st Lt. H. C. Woodrum, Maj. D. R. Brant.

Signal Corps—1st Lt. D. E. Cox, 1st Lt. P. F. Kearns.

Corps of Engineers—Lt. Col. H. M. Rogers.

Adjutant General's Dept.—Maj. T. B. Limbocker.

Chaplain Corps—Capt. H. J. Leger.

Cavalry—Maj. H. W. Weiss.

Finance Dept.—1st Lt. W. O. Brooks, 1st Lt. W. A. Gettys, Capt. R. L. Given, Jr., 1st Lt. H. A. Gordon, 1st Lt. L. M. Hernandez, 1st Lt. W. F. Hooker, Capt. D. J. Rutledge, Jr.

Chief Warrant Officers—S. Rogowski.

Warrant Officers (JG)—C. D. Newingham.

To Athens, Greece

Corps of Engineers—Lt. Col. P. D. Troxler,

Maj. W. W. Vance.

To Ankara, Turkey

Field Artillery—Maj. G. R. Allen.

To Antilles Dept.

Coast Artillery Corps—Capt. D. J. Jalbort.

Medical Corps—1st Lt. J. C. Howard, Jr., 1st Lt. G. D. Penick, 1st Lt. A. Schwartz.

To Alaskan Dept.

Judge Advocate General's Dept.—Lt. Col. F. W. Clarke.

Quartermaster Corps—Capt. G. R. Blair, Lt. Col. M. G. Buck, 1st Lt. T. C. Cope, Maj. J. M. McCarthy.

Infantry—Capt. W. E. Neidner.

To Ft. Pepperell, Newfoundland

Air Corps—1st Lt. C. E. Windough.

FROM FOREIGN SERVICE

Lt. Col. S. L. Bousquin, AGD, to AGO.

Capt. R. T. Tinsman, AC, to 8th Weather Gp, Ft. Totten, N. Y.

Lt. Col. J. H. Donahue, Inf, to 9th Inf Div, Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. A. E. Jackson, Inf, to 38 RCT, Cp Carson, Colo.

Maj. A. L. Lambert, Cav, to 2506th ASU, Columbus, Ohio.

Capt. F. A. Penn, Cav, to 3311th ASU, Nashville.

1st Lt. W. P. Hartman, TC, to 8FPE.

Maj. J. W. Scales, AGD, to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. J. Smalet, TC, to 863d TC Trk Co, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. J. L. Dworak, CAC, to 267th AAA Gp, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Maj. C. P. Bizousky, Inf, to 1242d ASU, NYC.

Maj. C. V. Friabee, FA, to 1232d ASU, NYC.

Maj. O. R. Glenn, Inf, to 3349th ASU, Atlanta, Ga.

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICERS

R. B. Bohner, Denver, to Madigan GH, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

R. C. Bush, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to Armd Ctr, Ft. Knox, Ky.

W. G. Childress, Wash., D. C., to Ord Dep, Pueblo, Colo.

W. M. Logan, Fairfield-Suisun AAF, Calif., to 9th Inf Div, Ft. Dix, N. J.

L. J. Morgan, Ft. Benning, Ga., to 2d Army 2124th ASU, Ft. Monroe, Va.

J. P. Swieki, Ft. Meade, Md., to 2474th ASU, Lexington, Va.

C. K. Thompson, Ft. Eustis, Va., to Hq 2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

R. Wycoff, Ft. Lewis, Wash., to 4300th ASU, Oklahoma City, Okla.

WARRANT OFFICERS (JG)

B. R. Head, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to Hq AGF, Ft. Monroe, Va.

RETIRED

Col. M. M. Boatner, Jr. (Lt. Col.) CE, upon own app, as Col.

Col. A. W. Penrose (Lt. Col.) Inf, as Col., p.d.

Col. R. L. Bodine, DC, stat age.

Col. E. G. Martin (Maj.) CAC, as Col., p.d.

Col. J. R. Fountain (Lt. Col.) Inf, stat age.

Col. R. L. Garcia (PS) QMC, upon own app.

Col. F. A. Blanchfield (Lt. Col.) ANC, upon own app, as Col.

Col. P. N. Starlings, Inf.

Col. DeS. Trenholm, FA, upon own app.

Col. C. J. Blake (Lt. Col.) QMC, upon own app, as Col.

Col. A. Bratton (Lt. Col.) (QMC) TC, upon own app, as Lt. Col.

Lt. Col. F. W. Ebey (Capt.) CAC, upon own app, as Capt.

2nd Lt. M. L. Moore, ANC.

1st Lt. K. E. Muldoon, ANC.

Col. A. J. Wynne, QMC, upon own app.

CWO G. Roeder, upon own app, as 2nd Lt.

CWO B. Smith, upon own app, as 2nd Lt.

WOJG J. C. Brumbaugh, upon own app, after more than 27 yrs. sv.

WOJG C. H. Kinder, upon own app, after more than 23 yrs. sv.

WOJG M. Seely, upon own app, after more than 32 yrs. sv.

Capt. A. S. Imell.

Col. G. C. Irwin, Sig C, p.d.

Col. F. C. Tyng, MC, stat age.

RESIGNED

Capt. O. P. Grugan, PC.

ORDERS TO RETIRED OFFICERS

1st Lt. W. J. Morton, Jr., FA (now on active duty as Lt. Col.) is advanced on the list to the gr of Lt. Col. to date for 5 Aug.

NON-COMS RETIRED

M. Sgt. J. P. O'Hagerty

M. Sgt. R. J. Shaw

M. Sgt. H. A. Sprinkle

T3 H. Delantar

M. Sgt. R. L. Barlow

AAF

Sgt. A. Avila, (PS)

Sgt. C. Hood

M. Sgt. W. A. Forbes

M. Sgt. J. E. Parr

1st Sgt. W. F. Barks

1st Sgt. A. Lipka

S. Sgt. L. Lewis

Sgt. F. W. Dale

M. Sgt. A. J. Lawrence

PS

M. Sgt. F. H. Allen

M. Sgt. J. H. Hampton

M. Sgt. W. F. Peterson

M. Sgt. J. C. Waddell

T. Sgt. M. Arzaga,

(PS)

T. Sgt. G. Marsalek

S. Sgt. G. Cruz, (PS)

S. Sgt. A. C. Martineau

M. Sgt. A. Harris, Inf.

M. Sgt. A. O. Henderson

Inf.

M. Sgt. W. D. Mahoney, FA

M. Sgt. C. H. Valdick

Sgt. W. Gleason

Sgt. M. N. Marley,

DEML

T3 F. Figuracion,

(PS)

M. Sgt. C. Heydorn

M. Sgt. M. Melott

M. Sgt. E. E. Wanning

Sgt. B. T. Hurd

M. Sgt. L. Green

M. Sgt. E. R. McCullum

M. Sgt. A. K. Goslewski, Inf.

1st Sgt. A. C. Hageman, Inf.

S. Sgt. M. Capparelli,

DEML

Sgt. I. R. Green, FA

Sgt. G. Sumang, Inf.

Cpl. A. Jusiewicz,

QMC

M. Sgt. J. A. Megason

T. Sgt. A. Reyes